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Even though
a few gave me
your hard time
you still a good
teacher & mediator
I'm S please pass me!
Me too.

P.S.

My grades may
not be the greatest,
but YOU are! (AT TIMES)
Tammy Wagner

Good luck with all
your students next year.
especially since I won't be
around so you can always
tell me to shut up. 3 years
of this stuff in enough for me.

Max Victor

Mr. Wilcox,
I'll really miss
hearing all your
stories & quotations.
a waste of education
people like you.
wit. Thanks for
a sweet person
fun teacher

Thanks for
being the station mate
you are
Chris Johnson

Thanks for putting
up with me I know
I gave you a hard time
Tim Murray

Mr Wilcox,
It's been very
educating in
your class this
year. BUT it has
been a lot
fun. See you next year.
Cathy Van Horn

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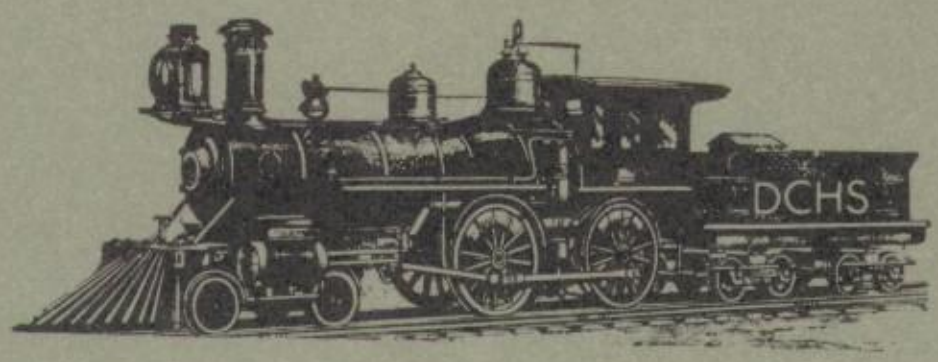
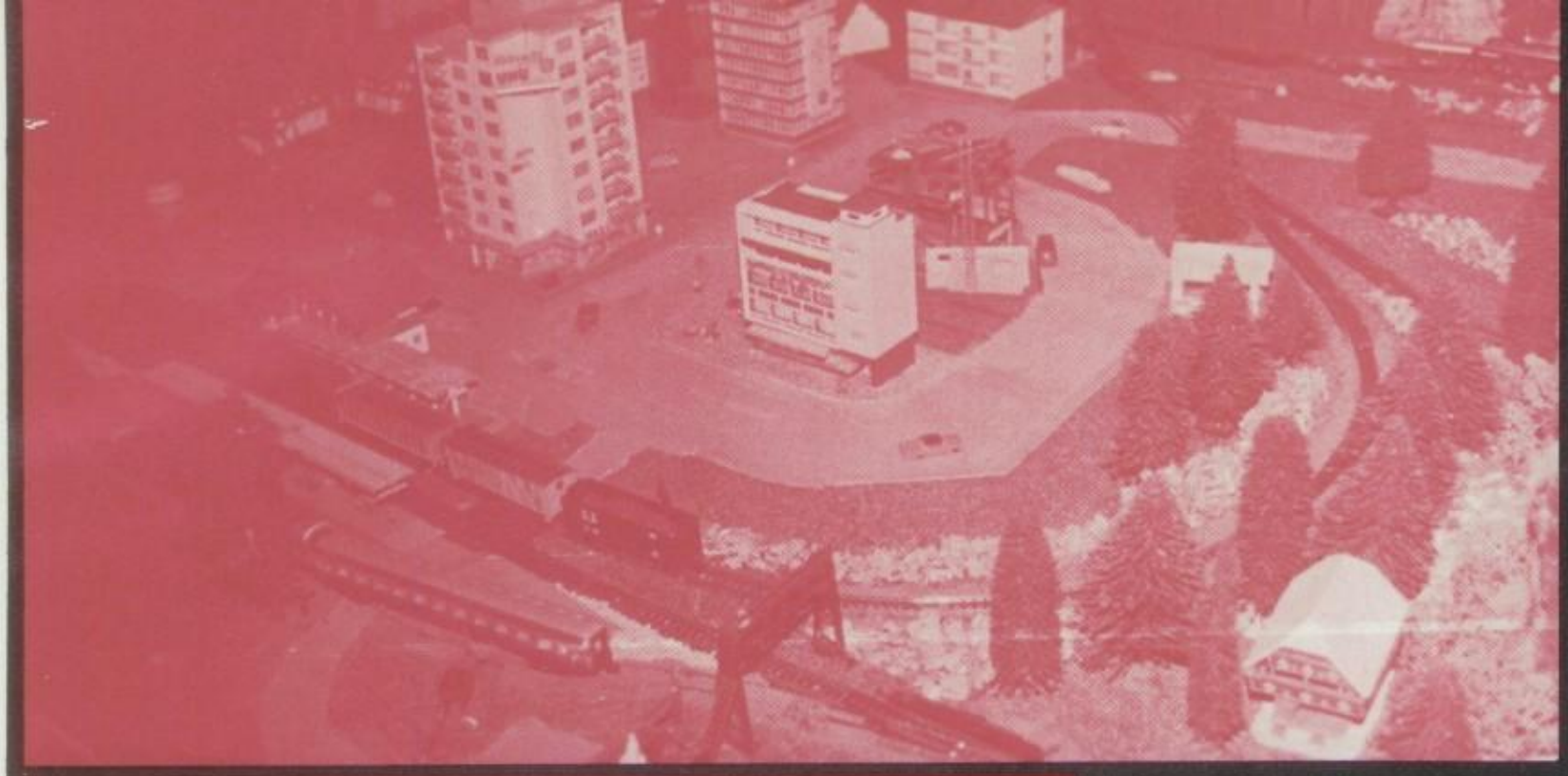
Cathi Noble





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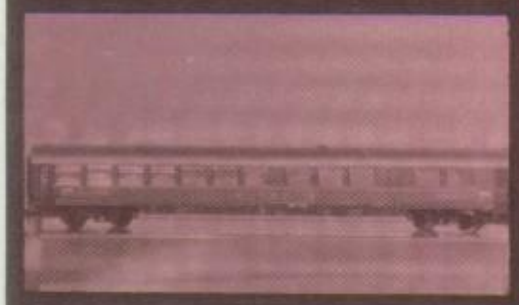

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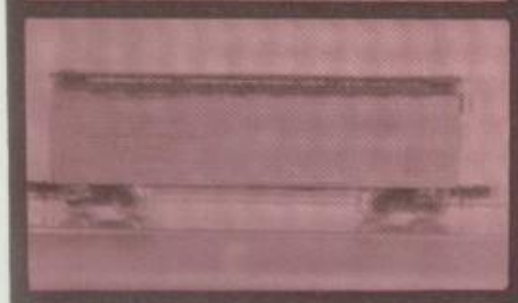

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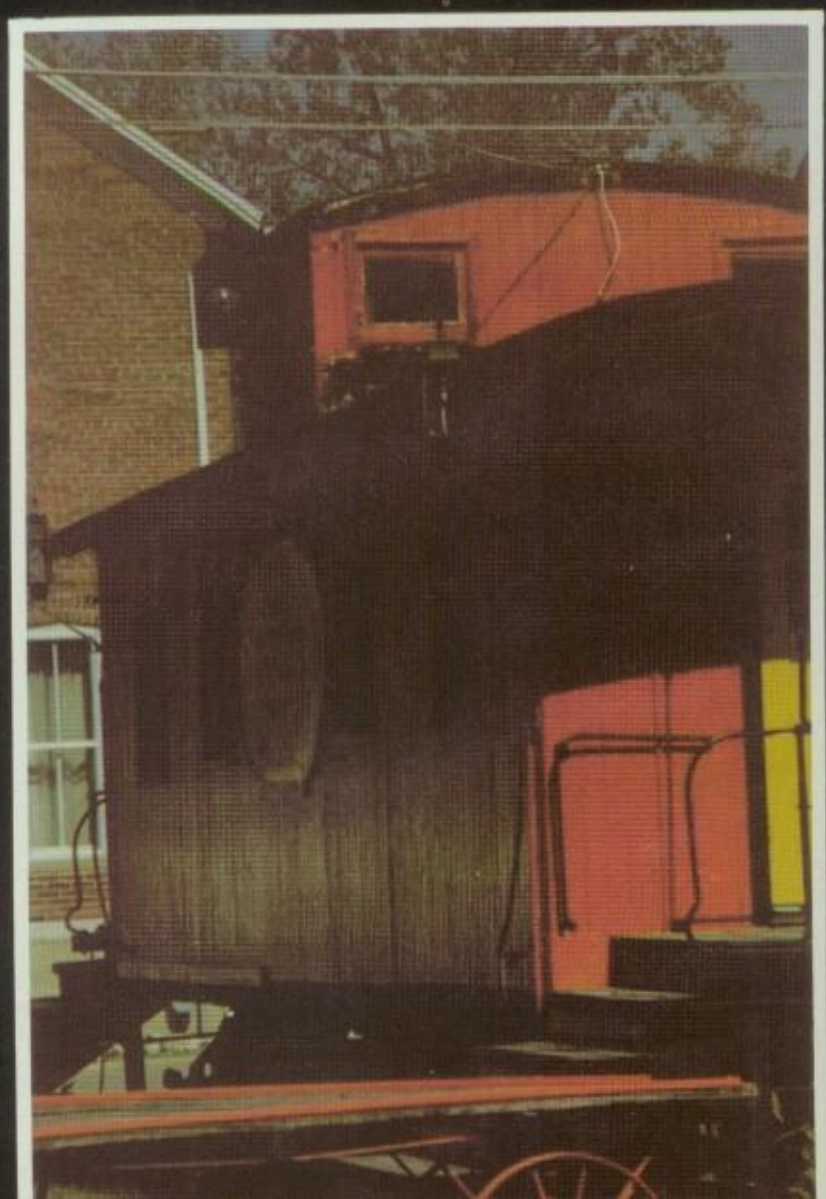

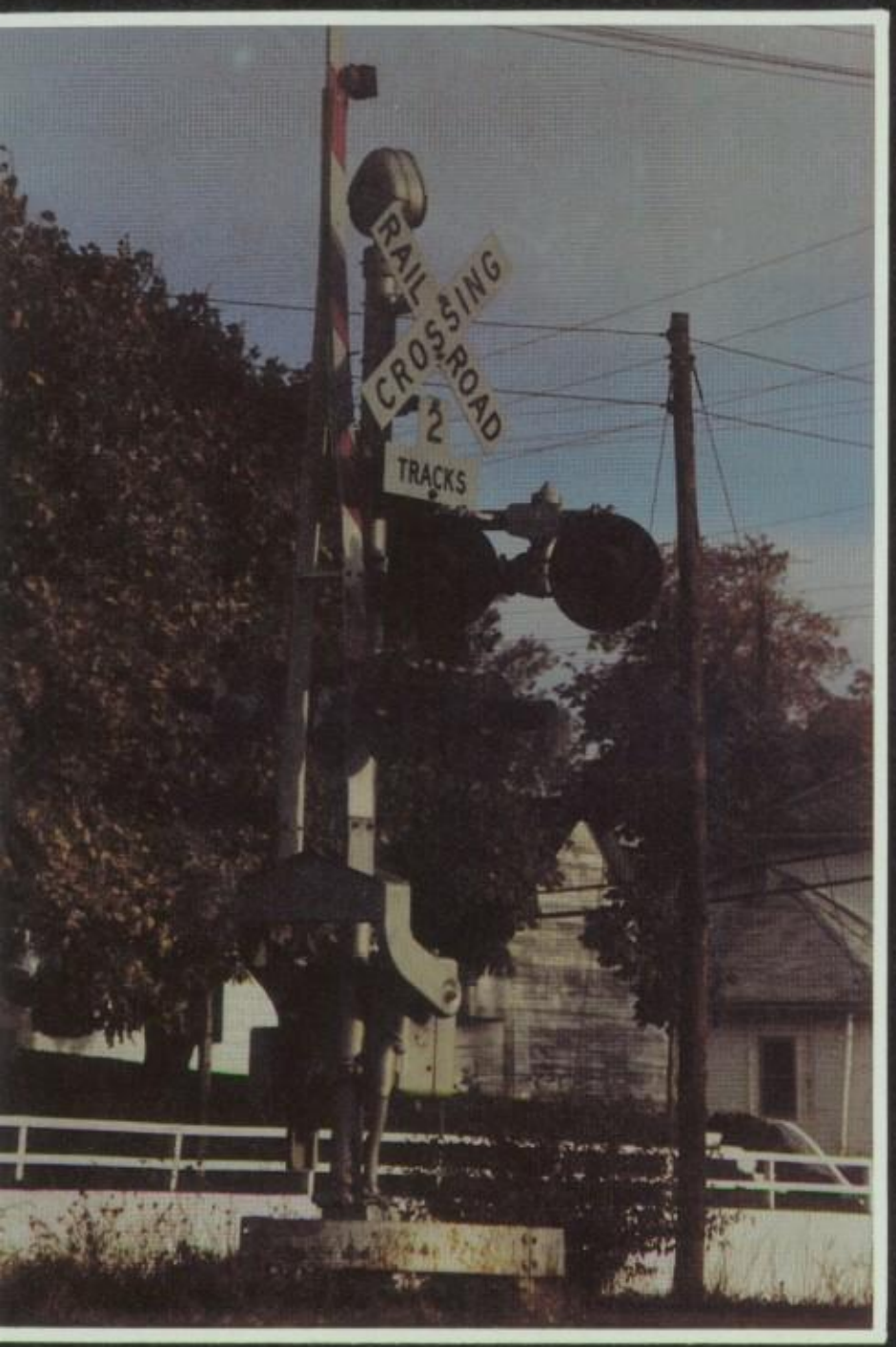
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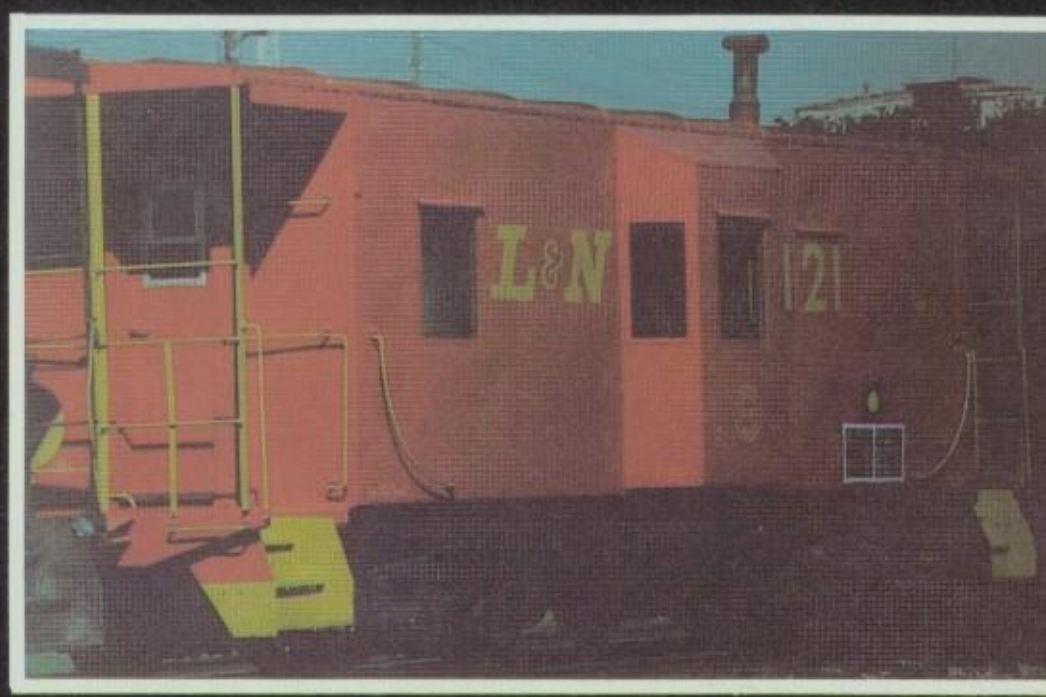
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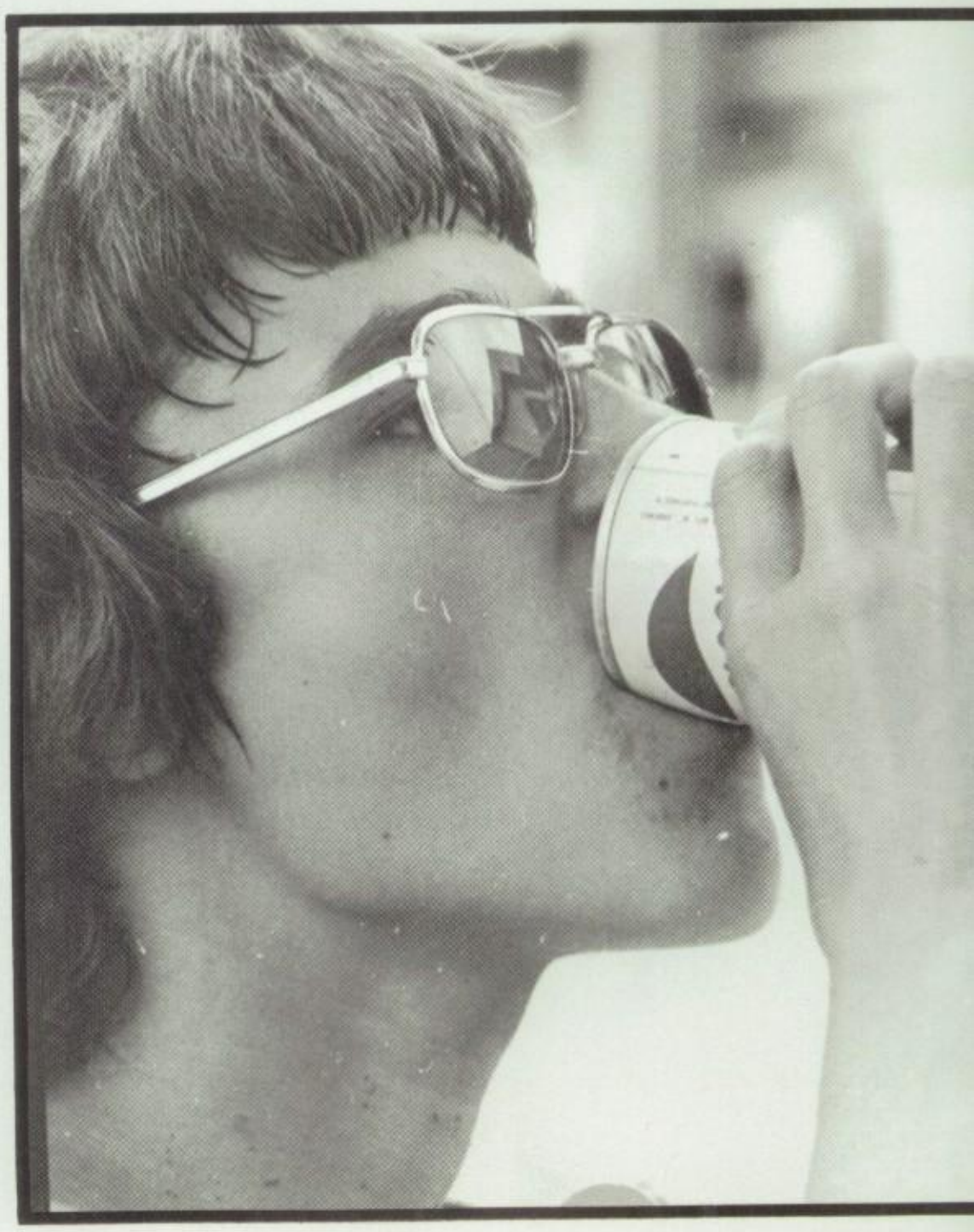
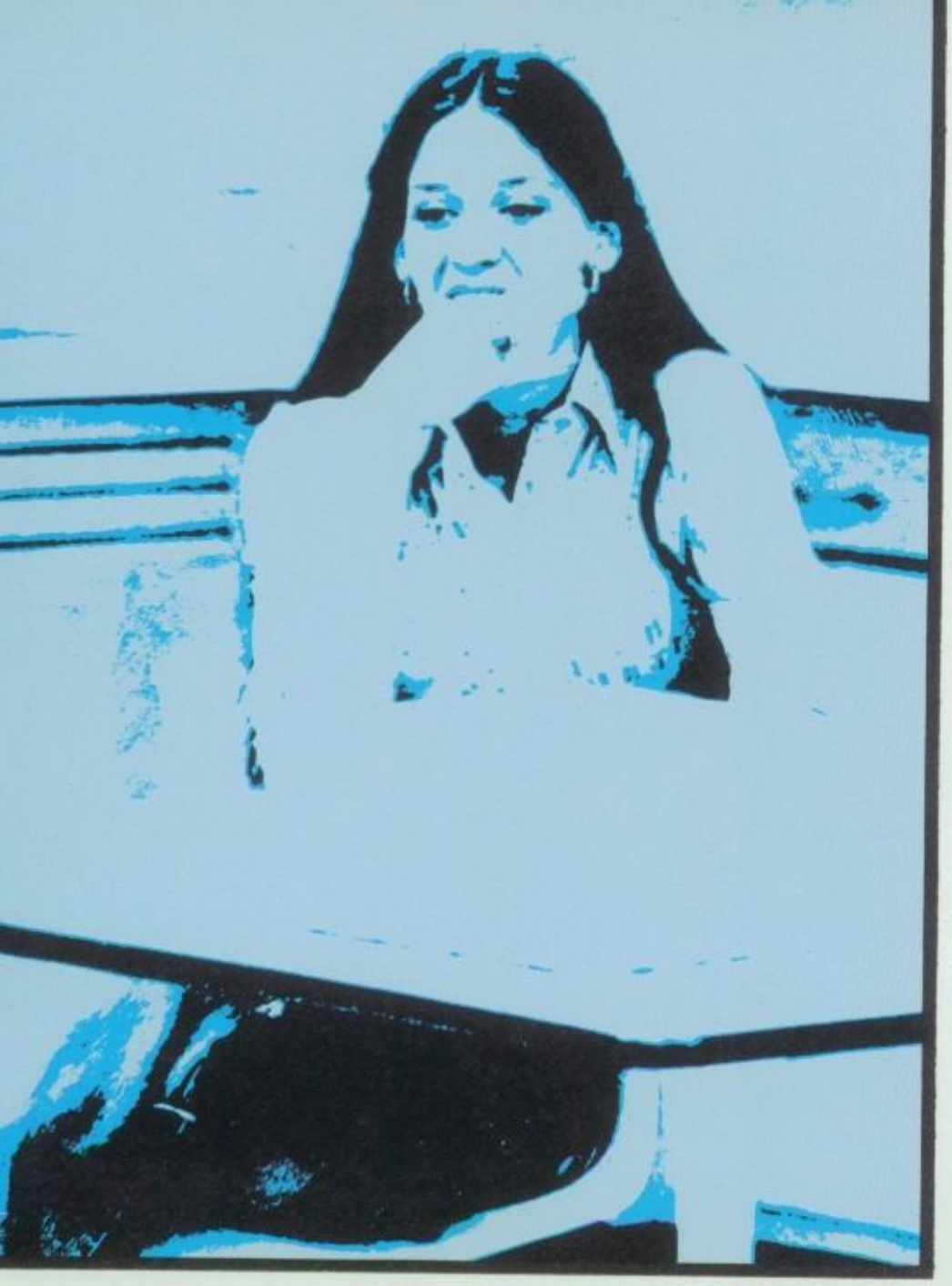
SPIRIT AND ENTHUSIASM

This year's Homecoming produced more spirit and enthusiasm than that of past years. The week was filled with activities to generate a winning feeling by Friday night. The cheerleaders designated for each day a special theme such as *"Grub Day," "Costume Day," "Toga Day," "Scalp'em Day," and "Black 'n Gold Day."*

Friday afternoon consisted of much diligent work on the fence decorating projects and a seventh hour pep session deemed to be the best in DCHS history.

That night, by a 17-7 margin over Twin Lakes, the football team was declared the winner of the game, the seniors, the Winners of the fence decorating contest, and the student body, the winner of the spirit award. CsC





CHOW DOWN!

Remember when you were in elementary school and someone would ask what your favorite subject was and you answered *"lunch?"* Even though you were joking at the time, there must have been some meaning to what you said because *lunch* is the one class that you took every year. Always between 11:00 and 12:30 lunch was the break between classes that everyone looked forward to (whether the food was good or not). It was a time to take a breather from your studies, talk with friends, and of course, *CHOW DOWN!* CsC

Shoved into the dark, forboding, cruel world and expected to perform the ultimate miracle of modern man — *TEACH!* This was the duty of this year's *Exploratory Teachers.* Each day they would venture into the rooms of *Hillcrest* and *Camden Elementary schools* and return with gleeful faces resulting from even the smallest of tributes from one of their pupils. They had the chance to see if teaching was the career to pursue with first-hand experience. Then, every Friday evening they would meet with Mr. Beale to discuss this week's happenings and to learn from his experience as a teacher. With the guidance of the teachers at the elementary schools and their meetings, these students were well readied for their future as tomorrow's leaders of the classroom.

RLD

OTHER SIDE OF THE DESK

One of the popular movies this year was National Lampoon's *"Animal House"* starring *John Belushi* from *Saturday Night Live.* The combination of realistic situations and the zany comedy of Belushi influenced the actions of several DCHS students. One day of Homecoming week was designated as Toga Day to commemorate the hilarious toga party originated in Animal House. The event produced several chic outfits sprinkled with a few authentic ones also.

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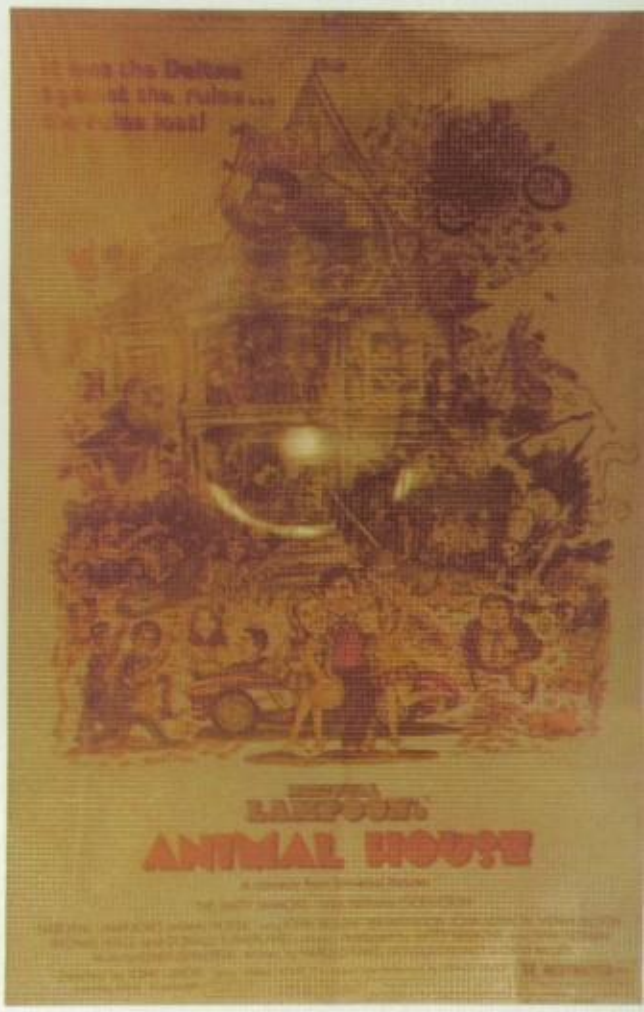

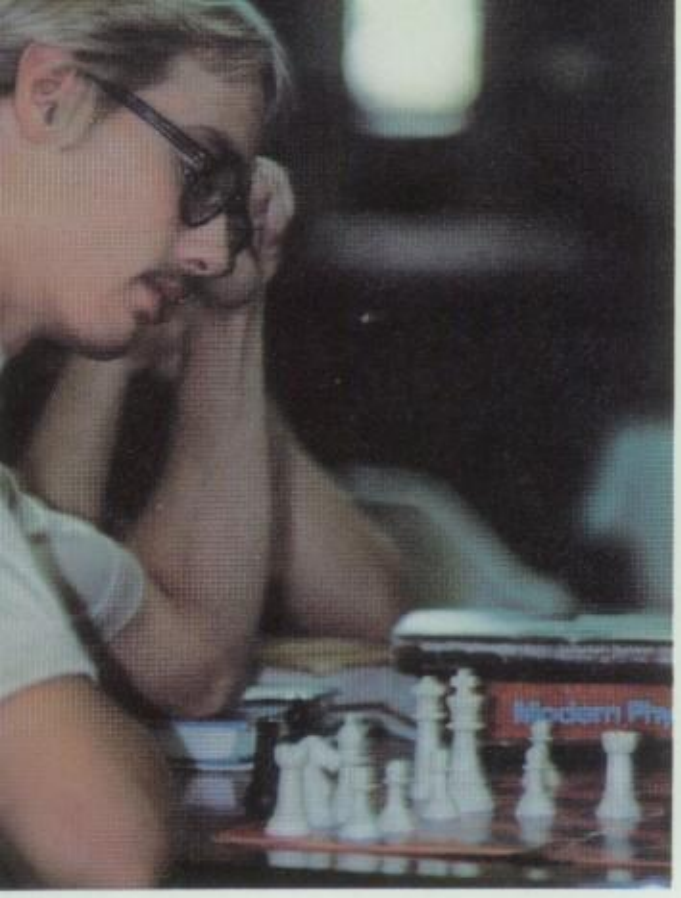

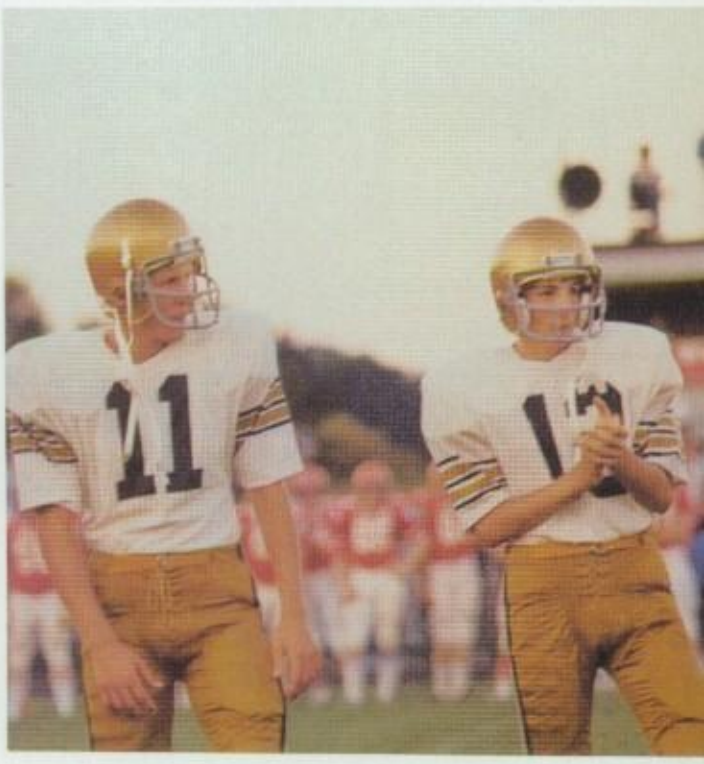

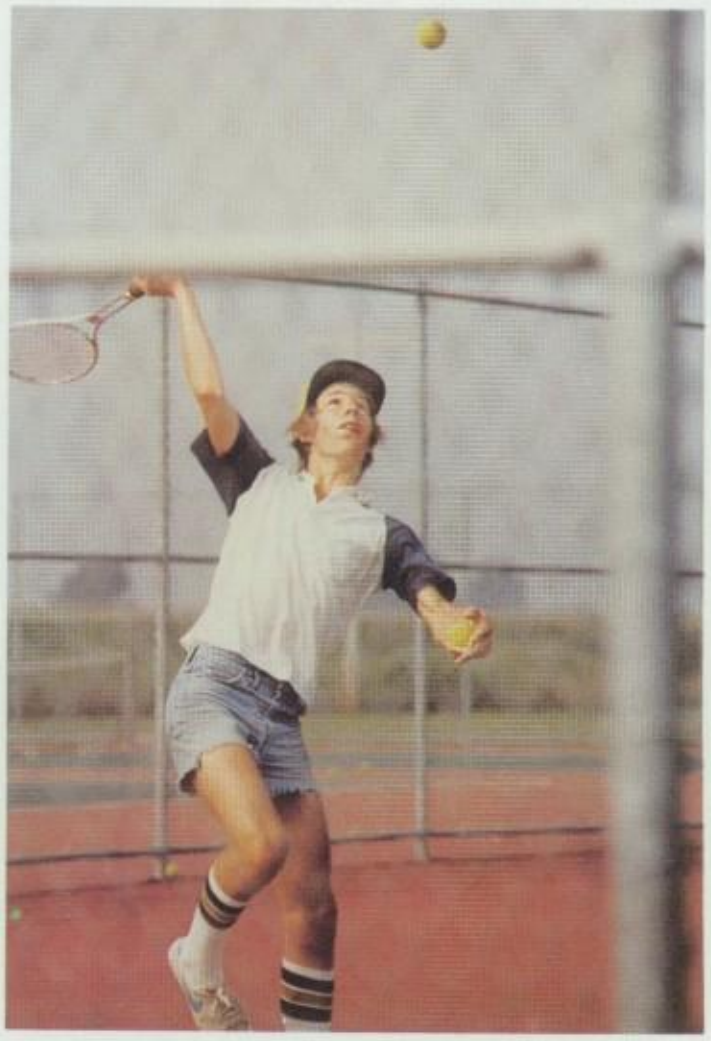

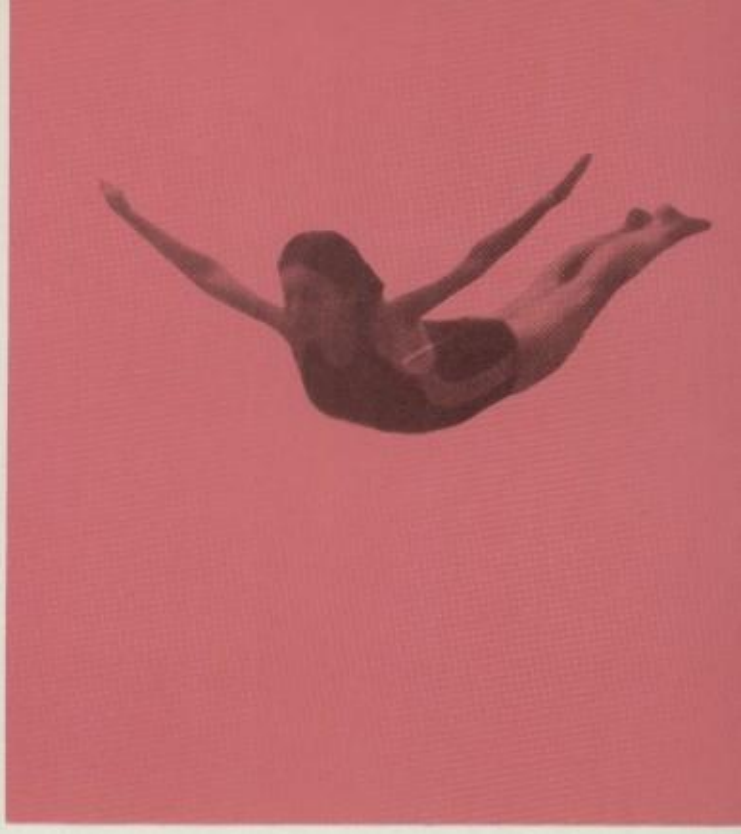

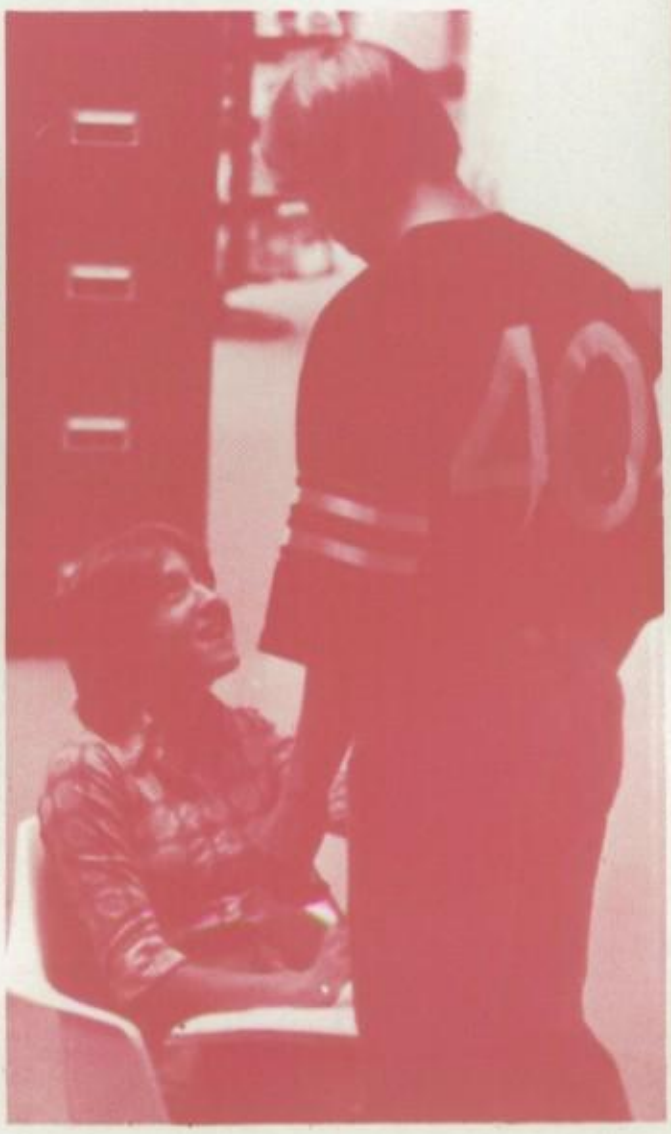

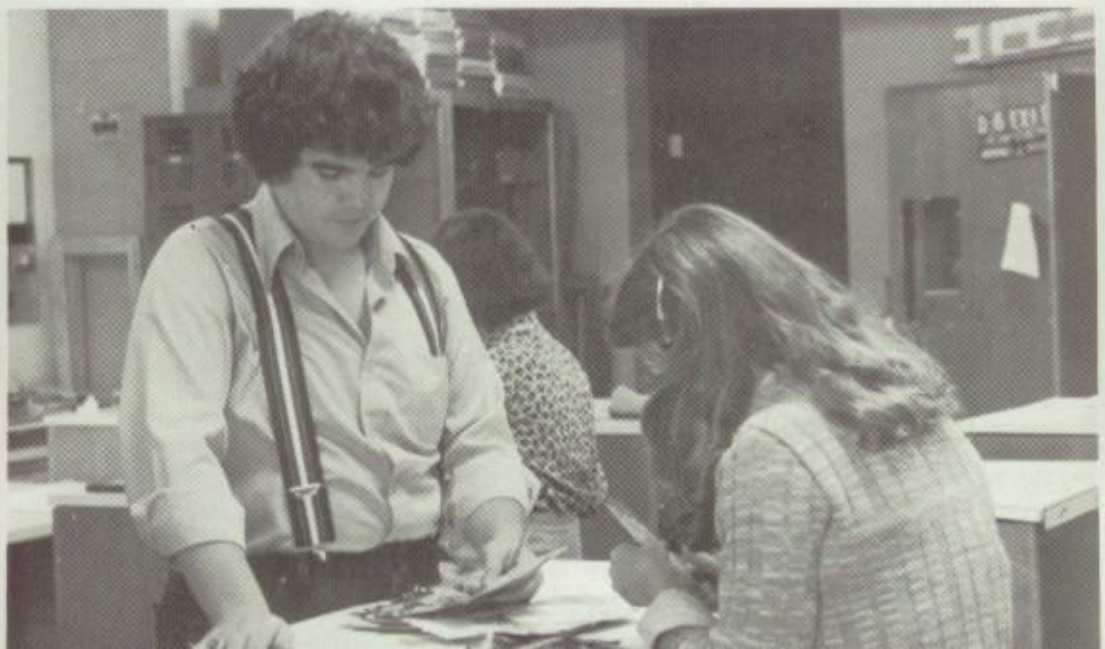

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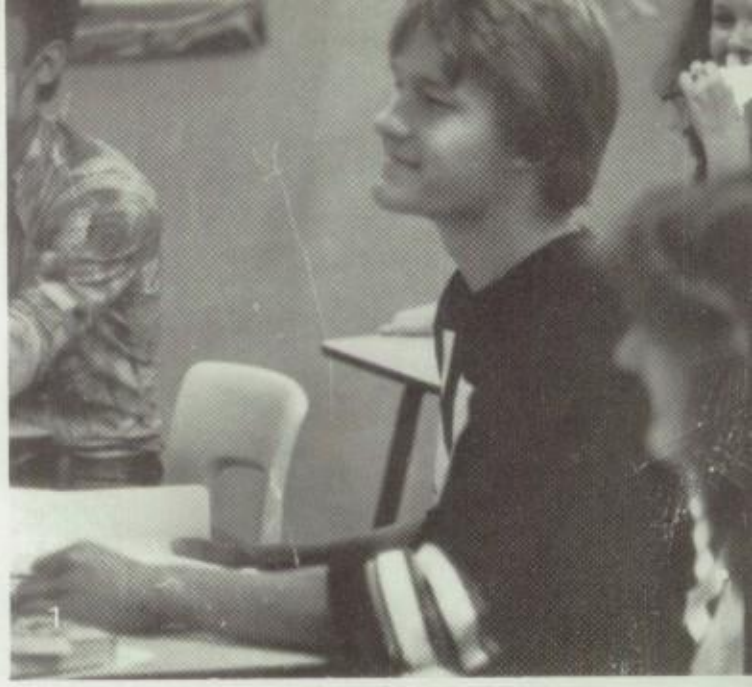
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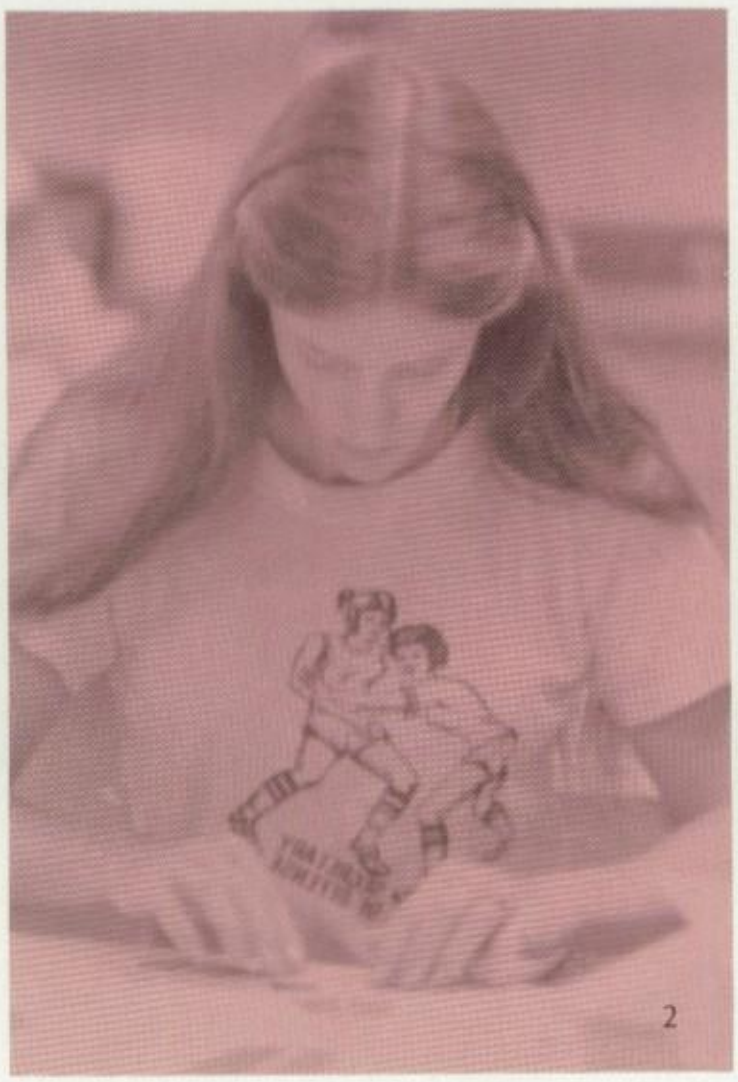
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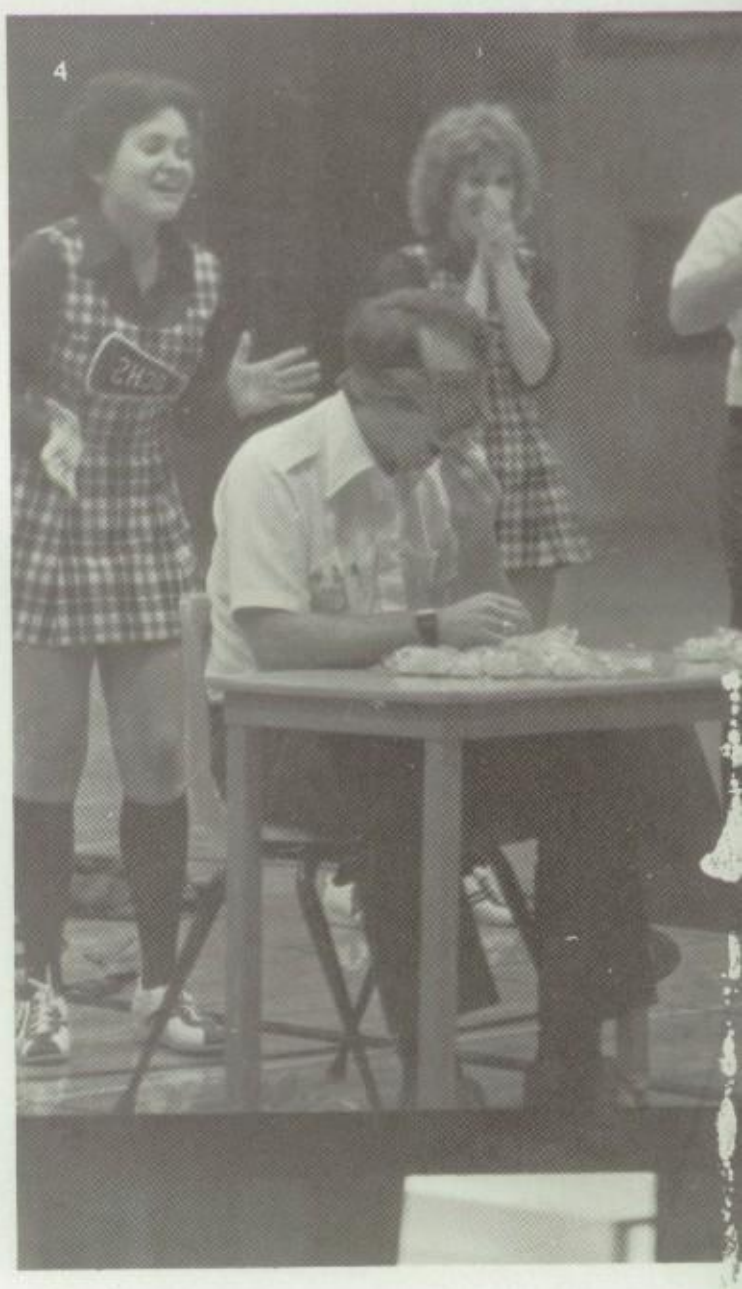
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If you're a person who's destined to be a leader, then you should belong to Student Council. This group of people acted as the middle-man between the student body and the administration, but that's not all they did. Along with conducting class and various queen elections, they organized a large part of the Homecoming festivities which was their biggest project during the school year.

Members included Student Council officers, Senior class officers, under-class presidents, and four representatives from each class. Mr. Joe Seurynck acted as advisor for the sixth consecutive year. CsC

1. Student Council member Rodger Replogle listens intently during a club meeting. 2. Working on the latest S.C. project is Jane Spitznagle. 3. Advisor Joe Seurynck seems befuddled by a question. 4. Doing his part to promote student participation, Mr. Seurynck stuffs Twinkies down his throat. 5. Discussing Student Council projects with Ed Fleck is Vice President Max Victor. 6. *STUDENT COUNCIL OFFICERS. Row 1:* Parliamentarian Anne Nelson, President Marty Strasser. *Row 2:* Treasurer Jerri Moore, Secretary Jeff Rider, Vice President Max Victor. 7. *FRESHMEN AND SOPHOMORE MEMBERS. Row 1:* Sherri Duff, Tom Moore, Roseanne Kennedy, Kathe Lichtenberger, Lisa Hathaway. *Row 2:* Lisa Jenkins, Amy Brosman, Dennis Hall, Jeff Scott, Debbie Lichtenberger. 8. *JUNIOR AND SENIOR MEMBERS. Row 1:* Bernie Wallmann, Lori Campbell, Cherie Berto, Terrie Berto, Tammy Wagner, Max Victor. *Row 2:* Jane Spitznagle, Jerri Moore, Celena Crume, Terrie McGreevey, Bill Leinberger, Rodger Replogle, Marty Strasser, Brian Burton, Yvonne Penn, Diane Sales. *Row 3:* Anne Nelson, Jeff Rider.

"Others" was the motto of the *1979 Sunshine Society.* This was not a difficult one for the DCHS Chapter, under the advisement of Mrs. Carol Wolfe, to put into practice. The many activities proving successful throughout the year were cheese and sausage sales, fruit baskets on holidays, a *rock-a-thon,* and an Ideal Ladies Tea. The big event came when SSS hosted the District V Convention. Although this was a first, it proved very successful when 17 other schools journeyed to DCHS for a day always to be remembered.

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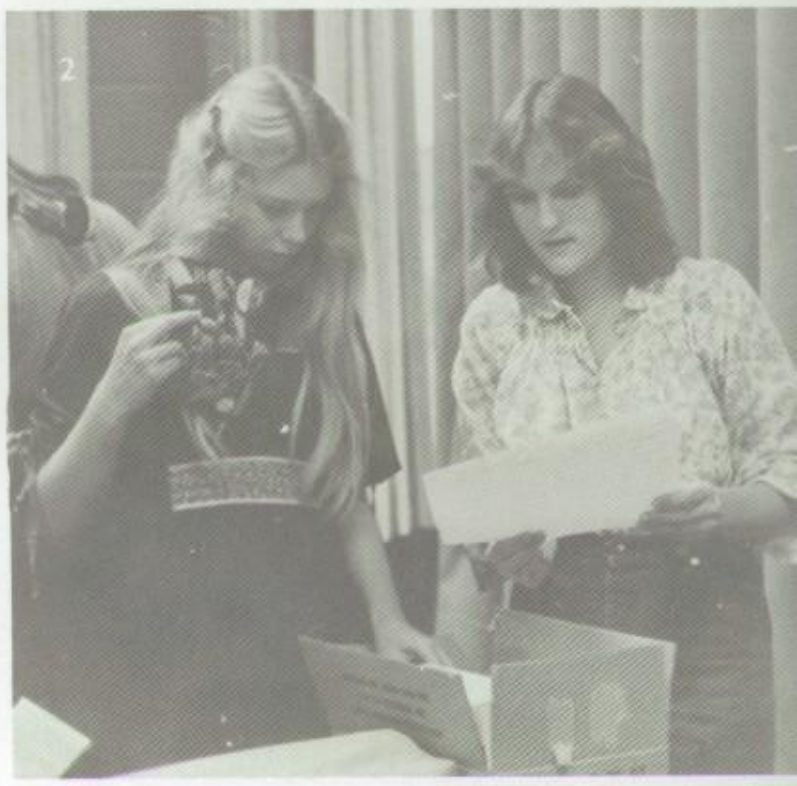
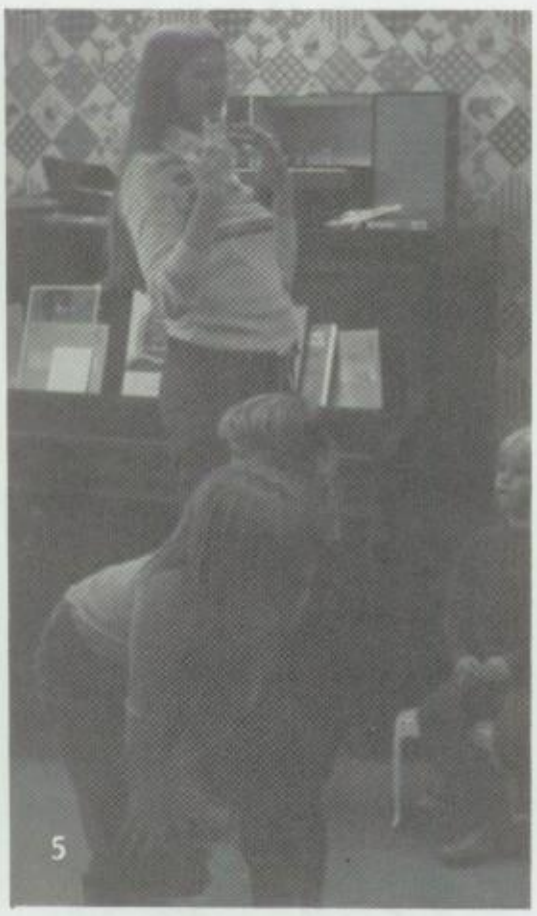


1. *SUNSHINE. Row I:* T. Roberson, T. Calvert, S. Clifford, R. Ragan, J. Brown, D. Duddy, J. Zook, *Row II:* E. Perry, J. Draper, R. Harshbarger, C. Holloway, S. Graves, M. Stewart, J. Wallace, C. Brovont. *Row III:* M. Barnard, J. Riley, K. Gosewehr, T. Emmitt, K. Rinehart, J. Dittman, J. Price, R. Franek, S. Cox. *Row IV:* C. Ratcliff, P. Dillman, D. Moore, B. Smith, R. Storey, D. Shoemaker, A. Brosman, L. Jenkins, S. Seramur, D. Brovont. *Row V:* R. Hughes, S. Sturdivant, K. Britton, J. Dunn, K. Randolph, L. Allan, M. Gray, L. Pressler, M. Moser.

SUNSHINERS HOST DISTRICT CONVENTION



2. Carefully checking off names for distribution of cheese and sausage are Renee Storey and Pam Dillman. 3. A pleased René Rouhier receives her cheese and sausage order from Mrs. Wolfe. 4. Tina Brown has her hands full as she prepares to fill fruit baskets. 5. Hand motions come in handy for Tina Penn as she entertains some children. 6. *SUNSHINE. Row 1:* Advisor C. Wolfe, President T. Brown, Vice President T. Penn, Recording Secretary J. Moore, Corresponding Secretary J. Nelson, Treasurer K. Sullivan, Scrapbook Chairman C. Hinkle. *Row 2:* L. Wise, J. Anderson, N. Beale, A. Nelson, L. Goad, B. Disinger, C. Cree, Y. Penn. *Row 3:* E. McTigue, L. Trapp, T. Beale, D. Herr, T. Stacey, B. Rude, G. Pratt, B. Moore, E. Beale. *Row 4:* L. Campbell, S. Storey, S. Hayden, T. Nelson, C. Appleton, R. Rouhier, K. Sutton, R. Webb, T. Jenkins.

NEED HELP? CALL HI-Y

A group of young men dedicated to helping others, and maintaining the high standards of character throughout Delphi Community High School and the community, *that* is the Hi-Y club. This club is affiliated with the Young Men's Christian Associations of North America. Following club tradition, Hi-Y members sold apple cider in the area to raise money for the Christmas baskets they gave to the needy, and for other service oriented projects. They ushered for the fall musical and went caroling with the Sunshine Society. By helping others, these young men helped themselves grow in a way that will last their whole lifetime.

RLD

1. President Richard Denhart and V. President Andy Wood discuss plans with Mr. Tyner. 2. *HI-Y. Row I:* Denhart, Wood, Replogle, Wallmann, Cripe, Mr. Tyner, Anderson, Watson, Leinberger, Hinkle, Garrison, Gray, McLemore. *Row II:* Fife, Victor, Fleck, Murray, Powell, Johnson, Rider, Harshbarger, Nelson, Cornell, Ginn. 3. A hook shot by Gary McLemore puts the trash in a Hi-Y trash can.

THE CHOSEN

Hoosier Boy's and Girl's Staters were chosen by the local American Legion posts to represent them at the summer convention at Terre Haute. They learned about city, county and state government and actually participated in electing and holding offices. Lessons in learning and friendship were valuable points that they will enjoy and use in later life.

Junior Rotarians were young men who attended Delphi Rotary Club luncheon meetings every Tuesday. They were chosen on their scholastic and leadership abilities. Two students attended the meetings each month. It was quite an honor to be a Junior Rotarian for a month.

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1. *JUNIOR ROTARIANS. Row 1:* M. Hoffman, B. Kleckner, T. Gray, N. Brandt. *Row 2:* P. Brown, S. Johns, R. Denhart. *Row 3:* B. Watson, A. Wolf, T. Ratcliff. *Row 4:* R. Replogle, B. Leinberger, J. Rider. *Row 5:* C. Petry, A. Abbott, K. Hathaway. D. Harshbarger. 2. *BOY'S STATERS.* Richard Denhart, Kevin Hathaway, Jeff Rider, Jim Mullin, Steve Johns, and (seated) Bob McFatridge. 3. *GIRL'S STATERS.* Lori Trapp and Lori Kremer.

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"D" WOMEN

1. *VARSITY "D" CLUB. Row 1:* J. Moore, T. McGreevey, P. Walters, J. Hildebrandt, C. Crume. *Row 2:* D. Sanderson, S. Griffith, L. Kremer, L. Goad, J. Spitznagle, K. Sullivan. *Row 3:* T. Berto, T. Wagner, B. Kempf, S. Story, K. Sutton, J. Cull, K. Girton. *Row 4:* L. Hathaway, A. Boerger, A. Barnett, S. Brooks, L. Sanderson, D. Zolper, K. Pearson, N. Brooks, G. Abbott, L. Jennings. 2. President Celena Crume and Shirely Griffith try to find new ways of making money. 3. Are these girls members of the "D" Club? Yes, they are Michele Sullivan, Katrina Pearson, and Jane Spitznagle. 4. Sponsor Sally Knight discusses her plans with Terrie Berto. TLB

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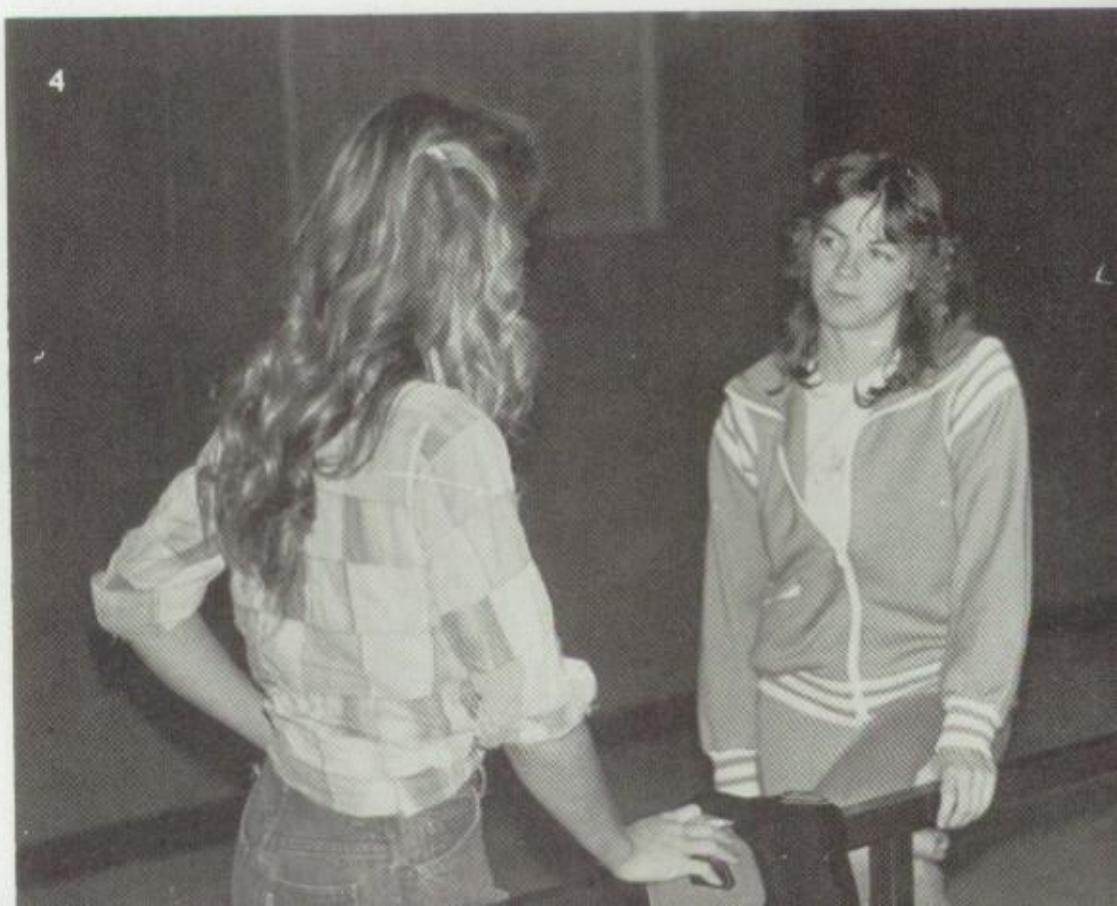
The Women's Varsity "D" club supported many of the school's athletic events in spirited competition. The funds that kept the club solvent were percentages collected from admissions at athletic events.

The 30 members with Jerri Moore as committee chairwoman, revised the constitution of the Varsity "D" Women. The main amendment was set to include cheerleaders who had at least one year of varsity experience into the club.

Miss Sally Knight sponsored this outstanding women's organization. TLB



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"D" — DEDICATION

What kind of a person was a *"D" Man?* The letter "D" stood not only for DCHS, but also for the word *dedication.* Any young man who wore a letter jacket could feel very proud because that was an indication that their coaches recognized that they had put ample energy into the sport in which they had participated. Some pumped iron until their bodies were about to give way; some swam until the water ran cold; and some ran until their tennis shoes blew out! Many opponents found that DCHS was a fine athletic school. Stop any person on the street who wears a black and gold jacket with a "D" in the upper left corner *(where it is worn closest to the heart)* and they will tell you that DCHS is the very best school in the state of Indiana. GMc

1. "D" Men take time out for *MONUMENTAL* art 2. Max Victor and Andy Wood check out the situation. 3. *VARSITY D MEN. Row 1:* M. Hoffman, K. Hathaway. *Row 2:* B. McFatridge, B. Burton, B. Leinberger, J. Thompson, R. Starbuck, R. Denhart, C. Duff, T. Murray, D. Wood. *Row 3:* R. Lake, A. Wood, P. Clawson, S. Johns, C. Petry, P. Brown, B. Wallmann, K. Cripe, M. Victor. *Row 4:* J. Rider, B. Watson, M. Jargstorf, B. Fogarsi, B. Burdine, J. Abbott, M. Fultz, E. Fleck, B. Floyd.

DEDICATION PAYS OFF

The *Office Education Association* consisted of 17 girls who were enrolled in business education classes and were interested in a business career.

Each year OEA sends members to a contest in which they compete in such areas as shorthand, accounting, typing, and personal interviews. Business students from other schools in Indiana also compete in this annual contest. OEA sold candy and sponsored an all-school dance as money making projects.

The club has been in existence for eight years and although there were fewer members than in past years, they were just as strong and dedicated as ever.

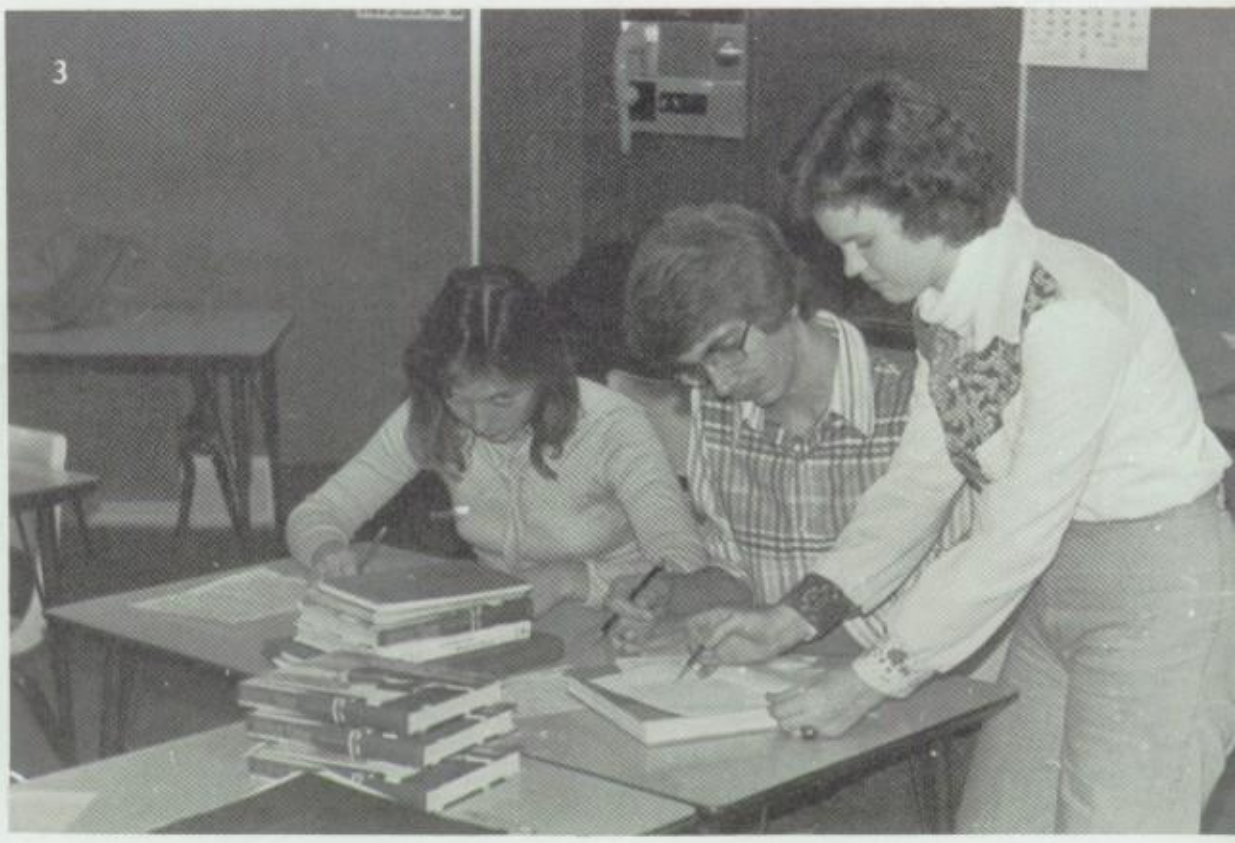
The officers who worked diligently with club advisor Mrs. Edna Grimm were: Diana Sales, president; vice-president was Nancy Holloway, and Janet Nelson served as secretary-treasurer. ljc

1. Dee Sanderson buys a box of *M & M's* from OEA member Keltie Sullivan to help the funds for the Special Olympics. 2. *OEA. Row 1:* Jennifer Dittman, Yvonne Penn, Jerri Moore, Advisor Edna Grimm, Diana Sales, Michelle Sullivan, Janet Nelson. *Row 2:* Keltie Sullivan, Terrie McGreevey, Susan Smith. *Row 3:* Caron Appleton, Susan Sturdivant, Shirley Griffith, Cindy Hinkle, Tina Penn, Denise Syphers, Lisa Goad, Nancy Holloway. 3. President Diana Sales inquires about candy profits while Mrs. Grimm explains.

STAFF PRINTS

Parnassus Staff worked diligently to produce a school paper each month, but that wasn't as easy as it sounds. The small group reached all areas including the student body, faculty, and the happenings around town. With the help of *The Comet* and Mr. Ebrite, an informative paper was produced.

The seven member class studied journalism to learn how to properly assemble a paper, copy, and layouts. Along with the advisor Mrs. Earleen Alvarez and the cooperation of the administration, the staff worked together and the outcome was a desirable school paper. ljc



1. *PARNASSUS STAFFERS. Row 1:* Nancy Beale, Kathi Noble, Diane Zolper. *Row 2:* Lori Campbell, Niki Brandt, Jennifer Kelly, Jeff Sieber, Advisor Mrs. Earleen Alvarez. 2. Editor Jennifer Kelly shows Mrs. Alvarez her idea for an upcoming issue of the paper. 3. Staff Members Diane Zolper, Jeff Sieber, and Nancy Beale work together for the perfection of a story.

EINSTEIN JR.

DCHS offers a club for students with a high interest in science and math. Its name? The Science-Math club, of course. For each meeting the officers and Advisor Charles Geheb planned a program that delved into the complex world of science and mathematics or one that would help the members in furthering their education.

Guidance Director Robert Conner and Secretary-Treasurer Lori Kremer both gave presentations on the scholarships available to the members and various Science Fairs that they could participate in during the year.

Trips were planned to the Indiana University Medical Center in Indianapolis, the Eli Lilly Company, and the Planetarium and Aquarium in Chicago. CsC

1. Science-Math club members Jane Spitznagle and Celena Crume observe President Bill Leinberger presiding over the meeting. 2. *Science-Math club. Row 1:* Richard Denhart, Chuck Petry, Steve Johns, Brad Watson, Marty Strasser, V.P. Tim Gray, Randy Lake. *Row 2:* Jane Spitznagle, Celena Crume, Jerri Moore, Phil Brown, Michelle Sullivan, Pres. Bill Leinberger, Sec.-Treas. Lori Kremer, Doug Harshbarger. *Row 3:* David Simmerman, Charles Geheb, Chris Johnson, Steve Fife, John Culley, Jeff Rider, Bob McFatridge, Tammy Wagner, Brian Abbott. 3. Advisor Charles Geheb gives the presentation on the over-head projector.

I'LL PLAY YOU FOR A MILKSHAKE

This year's Chess Club was one of the largest ever. Rounding out at 38 members the group played tournaments all year long. Divided according to their lunch hours, each of the three groups had their own vice-president. The winner of his *(or her)* lunch hour would play off with the other two winners to determine a final champion. Then it would start all over again. The club planned on three or four tournaments this year.

Sometimes one of the better players was chosen to participate in outside tourneys with other schools. Mr. Charles Geheb was the advisor for this bunch of avid chess players, who were often seen setting some rather high stakes on the line, such as a milkshake, or a candy-bar. CsC

1. Total concentration is shown by Tim Ratcliff as he contemplates the next move.
2. *CHESS CLUB. Row 1:* Scott Walters, Dean Fansler, Steve Norfleet, Bryan Heffley, Mark Keen. *Row 2:* C.T. Hanaway, Bill Smothers, Charles Geheb, Todd Goodwin, David Harford. *Row 3:* Tracy Nape, Martin Mummert, Steve Fife, Tom Moore, Steve Hoffman, Arlin Brumbaugh. 3. *Row 1:* Mark Abbott, Teresa Calvert, Suzanne Clifford. *Row 2:* Chris Johnson, Mark Hoffman, Chuck Petry. *Row 3:* Ed Fleck, Doug Harshbarger, Steve Johns, David Simmerman, Bill Leinberger, J.D. Young, John Thompson, Tim Gray. *Row 4:* Jeff Rider, Brad Watson, Brian Abbott, Tim Ratcliff, Derek Smith, Pat Leahy.

1. President Diane Zolper observes a French club meeting. 2. *FRENCH CLUB. Row 1:* President Diane Zolper, Vice President Becky Kempf, Secretary Teresa Mitchell, Treasurer Michelle Sullivan, Sponsor Linda Lewellen. *Row 2:* Lynn Pressler, Bill Leinberger, Ron French. *Row 3:* Penny Selleck, Crystal Dixon, Kathe Lichtenberger, Kathy Girton, Lisa Hathaway. *Row 4:* Miranda Mears, Amy Boerger. 3. Senior member Bill Leinberger, brings up an interesting idea concerning the French club party.

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VIVA LA FRANCE

In the summer of '78 two French club members *(Penny Selleck* and *Lynn Pressler)* journeyed abroad to spend ten exhilarating days in France. *"Vive la France!"*

Later back on the school front, the club held a cheese tasting party at the home of the sponsor, Miss Linda Lewellen. As a money making project, the group had a bake sale and collected a modest profit of $26.10. On a spring day the organization made a trip to Indianapolis to eat at a French restaurant.

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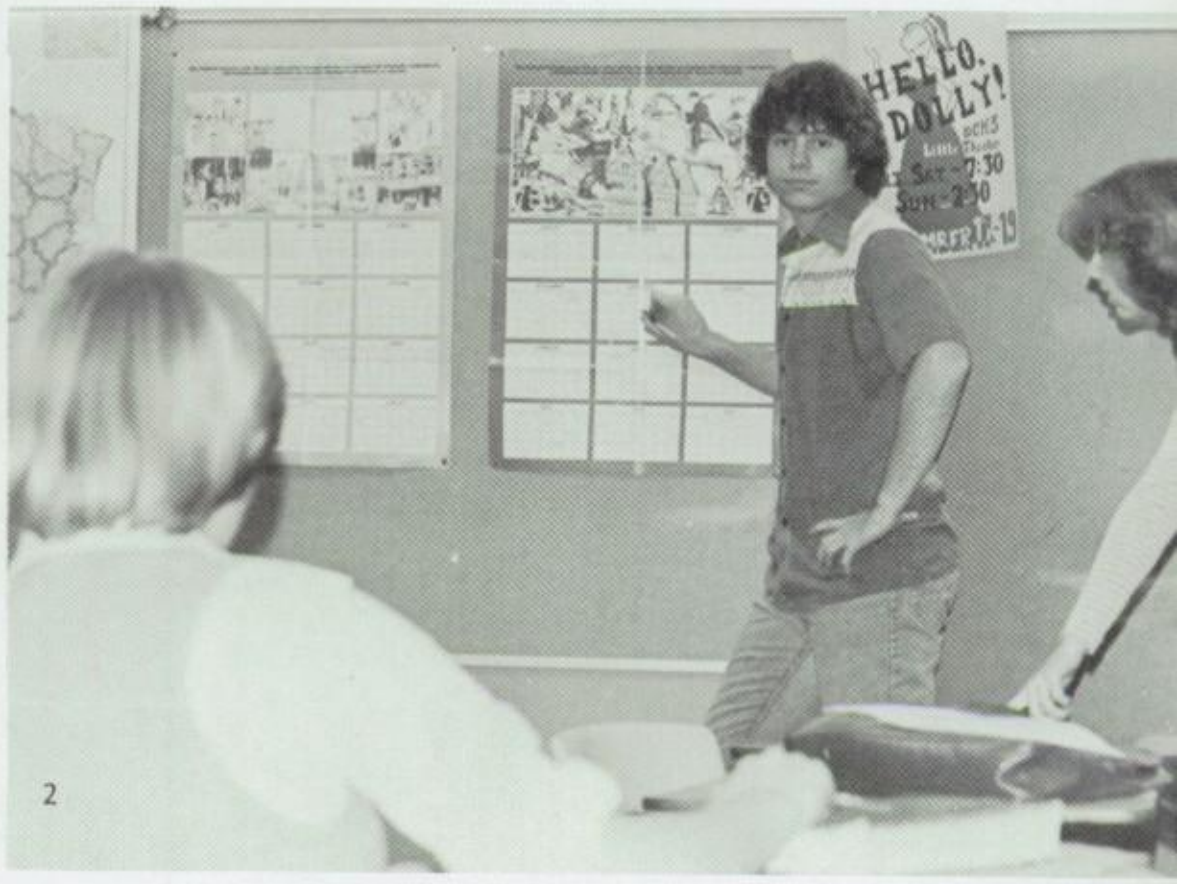
1. From a comfortable vantage point, Miss Lewellen oversees a club meeting. 2. David Bechdolt points out a club party date as Dee Sanderson stresses an important point. 3. *GERMAN CLUB. Row 1:* Treasurer David Bechdolt, Vice President John Culley, President Dee Sanderson, Advisor Linda Lewellen. *Row 2:* Paige Smith, Tim Young, Sig Fleck, *Row 3:* Rita Leinberger, Jeff Scott, Gary Fuller. *Row 4:* Matt McGrew, Elizabeth Doerr, Lori Kremer. *Row 5:* John O'Neill, Mikel Dixon, Doug Gribbon, Rhonda Webb. *Row 6:* Bernie Wallmann, Chris McGrew, Rodger Replogle, Mike Kirby, Nelson Baker.



SPRECHEN SIE DEUTSCH?

A prerequisite for joining the *German Club* was to have at least one year of class in the German language. Several members participated in an adventure to the *Alt Heidelberg,* a German restaurant in Lafayette. They spent a pleasurable evening tasting a variety of German dishes, and listening and dancing to German polkas played by an accordian player.

Profit from previous money making projects was used for an exclusive German party in an atmosphere of gala festivities. Advisor Linda Lewellen acted as hostess for the evening. Ds

TODO SE DICE "QUESO!"

1. Spanish club members, Chuck Petry and Tim Murray, display a Spanish poster. 2. Señor Alvarez and Kelly Martin locate a city in Spain. 3. *SPANISH CLUB. Row 1:* R. Franek, T. Phillips, M. Leahy, W. Stone, R. Warren, D. Gregoire, N. Ives. *Row 2:* D. VanSickle, J. Tyner, J. Rider, V. Rader, K. Noble, M. Wilmot, M. VanSickle. *Row 3:* A. Alvarez, M. Robeson, K. Campbell, K. Pearson, R. Wise, C. Gascho, R. Haynes, S. Black. 4. *SPANISH CLUB. Row 1:* B. McFatridge, R. Lake, B. Abbott, S. Smith, R. Denhart, S. Johns, J. Anderson, T. Beale, C. Petry, D. Harshbarger, K. Martin, C. Sell. *Row 2:* B. Floyd, S. Duff, J. Price, R. Hughes, N. Beale, R. Kennedy, B. Shanks, A. Alvarez, K. Royer, L. Sturdivant, T. Roberson, R. Harshbarger, T. Calvert, L. Campbell. *Row 3:* M. Powell, S. Fife, R. Ginn, K. Pearson, G. Abbott, T. Elston, K. Rinehart. 5. Looking into the basket, Teresa Beale finds many surprises for the Spanish Club. 6. Making *pinatas* isn't as easy as it looks . . . just ask Steve Johns, Richard Denhart or Brian Abbott.

When the photographer of the Spanish club pictures said *"everyone say cheese,"* the group corrected him by saying "You mean *'Todo se dice Queso.'"*

El circulo Español has been a very active and successful club. In their meetings, the señors and señoritas saw numerous slide presentations, and listened to many interesting speakers about the Spanish countries which they studied. Officers were Cheryl Sell as president, Kelly Martin as vice president, and Doug Harshbarger and Chuck Petry as secretary and treasurer. Throughout the year many Spanish customs were observed, such as dating, eating habits, Christmas traditions and living habits. Christmas caroling was an interesting project participated in by this organization. The club worked toward the goal of being able to cross the Atlantic and visit Spain. TLB

1. HEY ROW 1: Mrs. Bedeva Bowling, Susan Wolf, Bev Mears, Kara Wolf, Becky Daniels, Janice Baker. *ROW 2:* Marcia Minnix, Brenda Stewart, Kim Bradford, Kim Connor, Brenda Mears, Chris Ratcliff, Cheryl Vaughn, Chris Justice, Kim Dillon, *ROW 3:* Rene Rouhir, Pat Vaughn, Christy Flora, Rebecca Diehl, Lisa Fisher, Denise Mohler, Theresa Stacy. 2. During an HEY meeting, Susan Wolf explains their next project. 3. Suggesting an idea is Advisor Mrs. Bowling.

HEY AIDS THE COMMUNITY

The members of HEY decided to assist the Senior Citizens as this year's theme for the club. They helped them out by visiting them during the year and doing things for them on such holidays as Thanksgiving and Christmas like bringing fruit baskets and singing carols.

Home Economics Youth is a local club for any student interested in aiding the community. The twenty-one member club carried out what was learned in class and in the social area around them.

In their second year at DCHS, HEY officers were President Susan Wolf, serving as vice president was Bev Mears, Kara Wolf was secretary, and treasurer was Becky Daniels. Advisor was Mrs. Bedeva Bowling.

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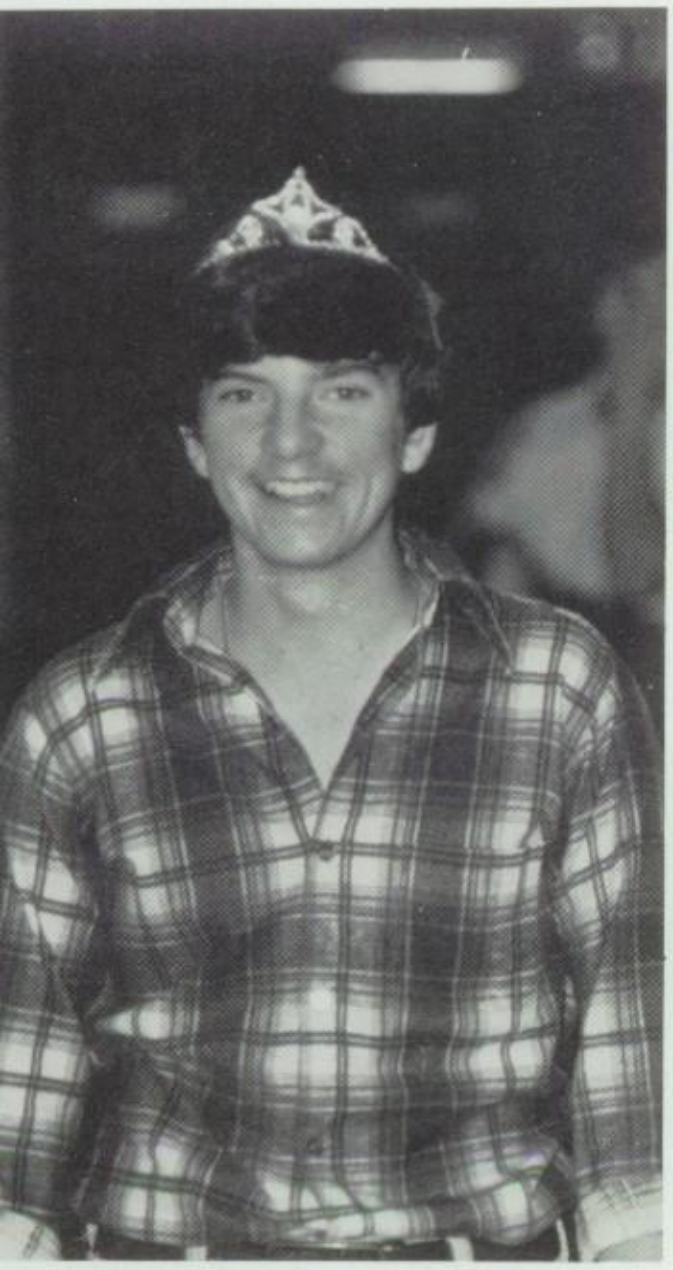

DIRTY BIRD

1. Norman Anderson tries on the chapter sweetheart's crown. 2. Helping to unload crates at Andersons is C.T. Hanaway. 3. *FFA. Row 1:* N. Anderson, K. Cripe, C. Veach, Chapter Sweetheart K. Sullivan, J. Garrison, B. Jennings, B. Hatke. *Row 2:* G. Ratcliff, C. Clawson, B. Johns, D. Hughes, W. Robinson, R. Frye, T. Riley. *Row 3:* M. Valenta, T. Powell, R. Johnson, C. Fultz, G. Stonebraker, C. Duff, J. Justice, J. Snoeberger. *Row 4:* M. Benner, M. Abbott, P. Jeffries, M. Wood, N. Witherspoon, D. Brenneman, J. Weis, C.T. Hanaway, T. Rush, D. Lybrook. *Row 5:* E. Duff, S. Wray, R. Strasser, K. Hammond, M. Turner, S. Overmyer, S. Norfleet, Advisor W. Morrison.

The DCHS Chapter of F.F.A. was very active throughout the year. The new advisor, Mr. William Morrison, added his expertise at all meetings. The group had many night sessions at which they discussed new and different ideas for making the year run more smoothly. Those projects included selling vegetable seeds, and putting ads in the local newspaper of helpful hints from area farmers.

Two money raising projects for the club were farming a test plot, and working on Saturdays and after school at Andersons by putting together snow blades. The team of Riley, Valenta, Ratcliff, and Johnson placed third in the *Division Soil Judging Contest* at Wabash, Indiana.

The club added a new attraction by selecting *Keltie Sullivan* as the *Chapter Sweetheart.* Her duties included helping at the meetings and organizing the *Hog Roast* the club held in February. *The Dirty Bird Kill,* which was to help get rid of birds that possessed diseases was a project that F.F.A. undertook during the spring season.

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ORGANIZATION PROVIDES A REAL HELPING HAND

Helping those less fortunate than themselves was the theme of the "Youth Association for Retarded Citizens" club. A Rock-a-Thon was held to raise money that would enable club members to take retarded citizens to the Shrine Circus. A Halloween party was held October 18 for the kids. Not only did being in YARC bring physical pleasure, it gave a sense of satisfaction and accomplishment for being able to learn more about mental retardation and how to cope with it. TLS

1. Lisa Fisher prepares for the *rock-a-thon* by trying out a straight chair. 2. Kim McLemore and Angie Maxwell confer with Mr. Mike Sanders about a club project. 3. *YARC. Row 1:* L. Fisher, L. Minnix, J. Dittman, M. Sanders, J. Baker, C. Humphrey. *Row 2:* C. Garrison, M. Minnix, J. Burd, K. Myers, B. Mears, T. Evans, E. Doerr, K. Wolfe. *Row 3:* K. Stevens, K. McLemore, L. Draper, P. Trapp, C. Patterson, L. Cull, A. Maxwell, D. Brovant, K. Flora, R. Diehl, D. Mohler.

AFRICA TO ARGENTINA

If you happened to notice a bright, bubbly girl wandering through the halls of DCHS with a camera in her hand and a smile on her face, it probably was Niki Brandt, the 1978 Rotary Exchange Student from Kimberly, South Africa. During her visit at Delphi, Niki stayed with the families of the Reverend Ray Nelson, Bob Hewitt, and Mrs. Noel VanSickle.

Pedro Gustavo Dellarossa from Marcos Juarez, Argentina, came to Delphi in January of 1979. During the first part of his American experience, he stayed with The Reverend and Mrs. Donald Ashley.

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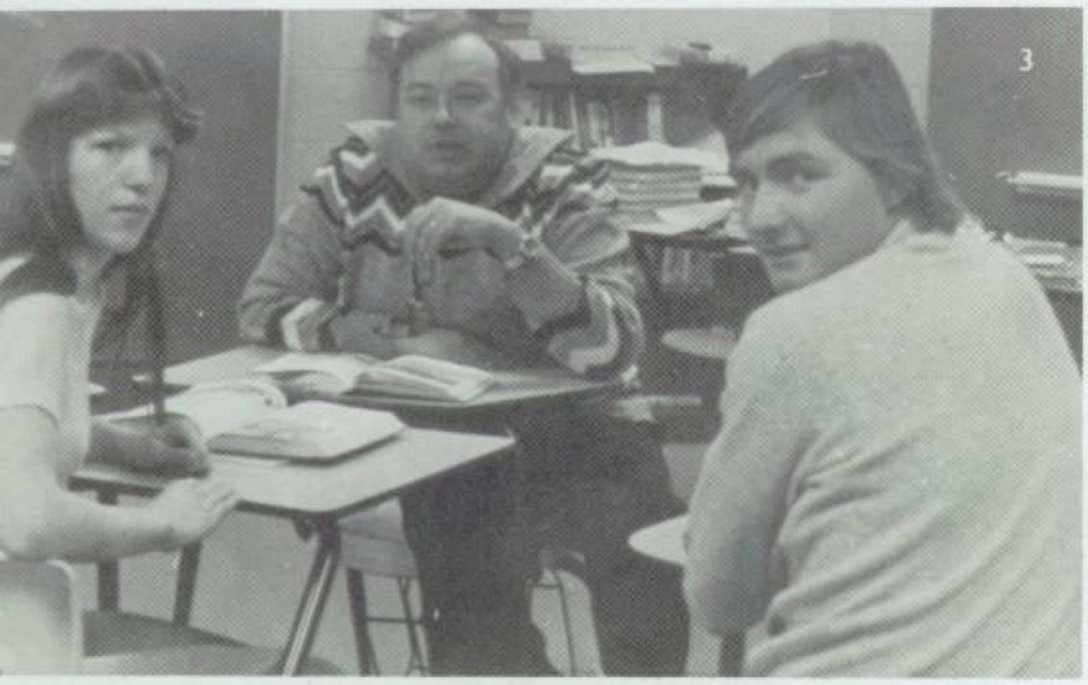

1. Niki samples some goodies.
2. Pedro and Reverend Ashley confer in the Guidance Office.
3. Georgette Pratt, Mr. Alvarez, and Pedro meet in the Spanish room.

C.A.M. CLUB ROARS

The club kept an annual tradition by attending the Indy Super Pull. The organization also raised funds for their expenses by holding a car wash. The men elected Jeff Nichols, Todd McClatchie, Brian Burton, and Andy Wood as *head grease monkeys.*

The most surprising event was when a teacher donated his car to have the engine overhauled and it came out of the shop purring like a kitten. GMc

1. *C.A.M. CLUB. Row 1:* Mr. Bill Gray, Joe Rush, Rob Johnson, Brian Burton, Vic Summers. *Row 2:* Mike Valenta, Dale Healey, John Britton, Todd McClatchie, Mike Hartman. 2. Did I do all that? 3. If at first you don't succeed, ask Mr. Gray.

THE BANDS PLAYED ON

1. *PEP BAND, Row 1:* M. Zolper, L. Hathaway, J. Hildebrandt, B. Shanks, T. Hoshaw, P. Smith, M. Edging, R. Warren. *Row 2:* C. Sell, D. Zolper, G. Abbott, D. Lichtenberger, P. Powlen, T. Starbuck, D. Sanderson, R. Leinberger, E. Johns, T. Garth, L. Wise. *Row 3:* J. Culley, D. Gribbon, B. Floyd, T. Phillips, S. Downing, E. Brumbaugh, T. Schock, T. Elston, V. Rader, W. Stone, J. Anderson, L. Campbell. *Row 4:* J. Rider, S. Fife, R. Wise. 2. *STAGE BAND. Row 1:* Campbell, Cree, Sanderson, Anderson, Rader, *Row 2:* Culley, Ballard, Zolper, Hathaway, Selleck, Shanks, Hildebrandt, Gray, Hefner. *Row 3:* Warren, Hoshaw, Sell, Kremer, Schock. 3. Diane Zolper takes time out to glance at the camera.

In 1979, the Pep Band put their best efforts forward to bring more spirit to the sporting festivities of home basketball games. Mr. Royce Armstrong did a fine job of directing this fine group of students. The band improved as the year progressed and added a lot of life to the abundant crowd willing to lend a listening ear. GMc

The Stage Band delighted crowds wherever they went. The members roused the audience at the open house and were so happy with their performance that the director planned to go on tour. GMc

SPIRIT

The 1978-79 Oracle Pep Block showed great improvement as compared to past years. The group, now 91 members strong, added their cheers and loud voices to all home games.

With a new look of Jerseys and Jeans, the Block was an impressive addition to the home stands. They helped make signs for various games and other activities. Around Sectional time they decorated the school with expertise. They encouraged students to get fired-up for all events.

When asked why they had joined Pep Block, many replied, "I love to cheer for my team and give them all the support that I can."

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1. Caught up in the excitement of the game, Sheri Duff cheers her team on to a victory. 2. *DCHS CHEERBLOCK. Row 1:* C. Berto, D. Berkshire, B. Kempf, T. McGreevey, K. Sullivan, J. Price, M. Stewart. *Row 2:* J. Moore, A. Nelson, D. Sanderson, L. Kremer, N. Holloway, D. Sales, K. Martin, P. Walters. *Row 3:* Y. Penn, M. Huff, L. Jennings, B. Disinger, M. Mears, T. Berto, J. Kelly. *Row 4:* M. Barnard, J. Dittman, L. Sanderson, R. Franek, B. Floyd, D. Syphers, C. Hinkle. *Row 5:* B. Mears, P. Dillman, K. Lichtenberger, S. Clifford, J. Brown, B. Smith, R. Ragen. *Row 6:* T. Wells, S. Sullivan, H. Kendall, R. Franek, T. Schock, R. Haynes, N. Ives.

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2. DCHS CHEERBLOCK Row 1: J. McIntire, R. Hughes, D. Smart, P. VanHorn, J. Garrison, M. Witherspoon, T. Garrison, Row 2: T. Brown, T. Penn, T. Beale, L. Trapp, N. Beale, S. Smith, C. Cree, Row 3: G. Kesterson, A. Boerger, V. Driscol, E. Beale, S. Hayden, T. Stacey, G. Donaldson, S. Pettit, Row 4: S. Duff, J. Ward, J. Wallace, G. Martin, L. Schockley, J. Zook, L. Jennings, Row 5: S. Scott, M. VanSickle, C. Holloway, J. Klein, S. Bradford, K. Hensley, T. Calvert, Row 6: D. Shoemaker, L. Britton, K. Conner, C. Meyers, K. Bradford, B. Stewart, B. Richter, J. Draper

1. Making sure members are in their correct seats Lori T. scans Pep Block

1. *THETA Row 1:* Steve Johns, Vicki Driscol, Bob McFatridge, *Row 2:* Debbie Cunningham, Becky Floyd, Yvonne Penn, Kelly Martin, Marcella Van Sickle, *Row 3:* Tim Garth, Mr. Buck, John Thompsen. 2. Tom Hinkle, checking his make-up??

3. *THETA:* Cheryl Sell, Lori Trapp, Anne Nelson, Lori Kremer, Melody Huff, Dee Sanderson, Tom Hinkle, Miranda Mears, Nancy Beale, Ray Wilson, Jeff Sieber, Lori Campbell, David Bechdolt, Jerri Moore.

IS THETA'S HEAD ON STRAIGHT?

After the production of "HELLO, DOLLY" people were eligible for the fall initiation. Theta club membership jumped from 8 to the present 21. From the constitution initiates learned that they had to be involved with every theatrical performance.

Other activities initiated by the club included "An Evening of One Acts" with the proceeds given to the annual New York City Trip. Spring break came and went and once again Theta left their mark on the Big Apple.

A special thanks went to Mr. Morris Buck, advisor, for his support, encouragement, and ideas. He had contributed much to the club and its members.

Officers for the 1978-1979 year were President Lori Kremer, Ray Wilson served as vice president and secretary was Lori Campbell.

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DOLLY'S HERE TO STAY!

In the November production of the musical, *Hello Dolly!*, the effervescent Mrs. Dolly Gallagher Levi had her hand in everyone's life: object — *matrimony.* Equipped with a card (and a solution for *any* situation), Dolly made life seem to be a breeze for the 39 cast members who were transported back into the 1890s.

Under the expert direction of Morris Buck and the musical guidance of Kevin Kayser and Royce Armstrong, the hit musical was polished and ready to perform at the end of an allotted six weeks of rehearsals.

Because of a power blackout the night of the second performance, the play was delayed a week. However, after four memorable performances, everyone agreed that *Dolly's here to stay!* Ds

The townspeople and Dolly join *The Parade Passing by.* Dolly. *Row 1:* Jeff Sieber, Lori Campbell, Dennis Hawn, Melody Huff, Nancy Beale, Joe Justice, Cindi Hinkle. *Row 2:* Suzanne Clifford, Mike Floyd, Lori Trapp, Tim Phillips, Rita Leinberger, Ron French, Vicki Driscol, Susan Smith, Libby Sturdivant, Kelly Martin, Wes Stone, Becky Floyd, Yvonne Penn, Jerri Moore, Caron Appleton.

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1. *"Look at the old girl, now,"* proclaims Dolly to the *Harmonia Gardens* waiters: Doug Harshbarger, Bob McFatridge, Jeff Sieber, Chuck Petry, Brian Abbott, Richard Denhart, John Thompson, Tom Hinkle. 2. *PROP CREW:* Marcella VanSickle, Teresa Calvert, Debbie Cunningham. *Row 2: LIGHT CREW* — Monty Edging, Mark Zolper. *Row 3:*Kevin Girt, Bill Leinberger. Director Morris Buck. 3. *"Let's do the Hootchy Kootchy,"* exclaims Ernestina (Penny Selleck) to Horace. 4. Ready to plead her case, "Dolly Levi, *Counselor At Law"* along with the Judge (Tim Phillips) and Bailiff (Wes Stone) finds Horace guilty as charged. 5. *ORCHESTRA. ROW 1:* Elisa Rosanne Johns, Connie Cree, Todd Hoshaw, Cheryl Sell. *Row 2:* Musical Directors Kevin Kayser and Royce Armstrong. 6. Even Horace Vandergelder (David Bechdolt) relented to matchmaker Dolly Gallagher Levi (Lori Kremer), whose business was arranging marriages, *especially her own!* 7. Barnaby Tucker (Steve Johns), Minnie Fey (Miranda Mears) Cornelius Hackl (Ray Wilson), and Mrs. Irene Malloy (Anne Nelson) definately *"Got Elegance* walking the streets of New York. 8. The tears of Ermangarde (Dee Sanderson) change to smiles when Ambrose Kemper (Tim Garth) places an engagement ring on her finger.

UNDER THE DIRECTION . . .

Thirty-four members strong, the choir diligently practiced every Monday evening and notched up several performances to their musical belts: The Christmas concert, choir contest, and the spring concert at the annual fish fry. Anyone participating in any of the other music ensemble groups was also in the choir directed by Mr. Kevin Kayser. Ds

1. *CHOIR. Row 1:* D. Cunningham, J. Abbott, T. Calvert, C. Sell, D. Sanderson, C. Berto, K. Hensley, M. Huff. *Row 2:* A. Nelson, M. Mears, T. Garth, P. Leahy, R. Wilson, P. Brown, J. Moore, L. Kremer, L. Trapp. *Row 3:* Mr. K. Kayser, N. Beale, S. Smith, J. Justice, D. Hawn, B. Abbott, S. Johns, L. Sanderson, M. Stewart. *Row 4:* S. Hayden, T. Nelson, V. Driscol, P. Selleck, J. Rider, T. Hinkle, J. Kelly, A. Boerger, L. Campbell. 2. *VOCAL ACOMPANISTS. CLOCKWISE:* Amy Boerger, Jennifer Kelly, Cheryl Sell.

ENSEMBLES REGROUP

Two new ensembles were added to the vocal roster under the direction of Mr. Kevin Kayser. Each of the groups, the JUNIOR GIRLS' ENSEMBLE and the SENIOR GIRLS' ENSEMBLE, were composed of ten girls. They were fine representatives of the musical talent of DCHS at South Newton where the vocal solo and ensemble contest was held. Ds

1. *SENIOR GIRLS' QUARTET. TOP TO BOTTOM:* Anne Nelson, Lori Kremer, Dee Sanderson, Lori Trapp. 2. *JUNIOR GIRLS' ENSEMBLE. Row 1:* Lori Campbell, Miranda Mears, Debbie Cunningham. *ROW 2:* Susan Hayden, Amy Boerger, Cherie Berto. *Row 3:* Tracy Nelson, Vicki Driscol, Jennifer Kelly. *SENIOR GIRLS' ENSEMBLE. Row 1:* Melody Huff, Lori Trapp, Dee Sanderson. *Row 2: Susan Smith, Nancy Beale, Cheryl Sell. Row 3:* Penny Selleck, Jerri Moore, Anne Nelson, Lori Kremer.

WHAT IS A MADRIGAL?

Delphi Community High School was proud to present *THE MADRIGALS.* (WHO?) You know, the 16 member singing group that performed in the style of renaissance, a cappella. WELL, WHAT DOES MADRIGAL MEAN? I looked it up and it said: mad-ri-gal:n. a part song for several voices without instrumental accompaniment. A short poem that can be set to music.

OH, I UNDERSTAND NOW. THEY WERE THE ONES THAT SANG WITH CLOSE HARMONY AT THE CHRISTMAS CONCERT AND SOUNDED REALLY NICE. Ready to listen to them? SURE. Delphi Community High School was proud to present *THE MADRIGALS* under the direction of Mr. Kevin Kayser.

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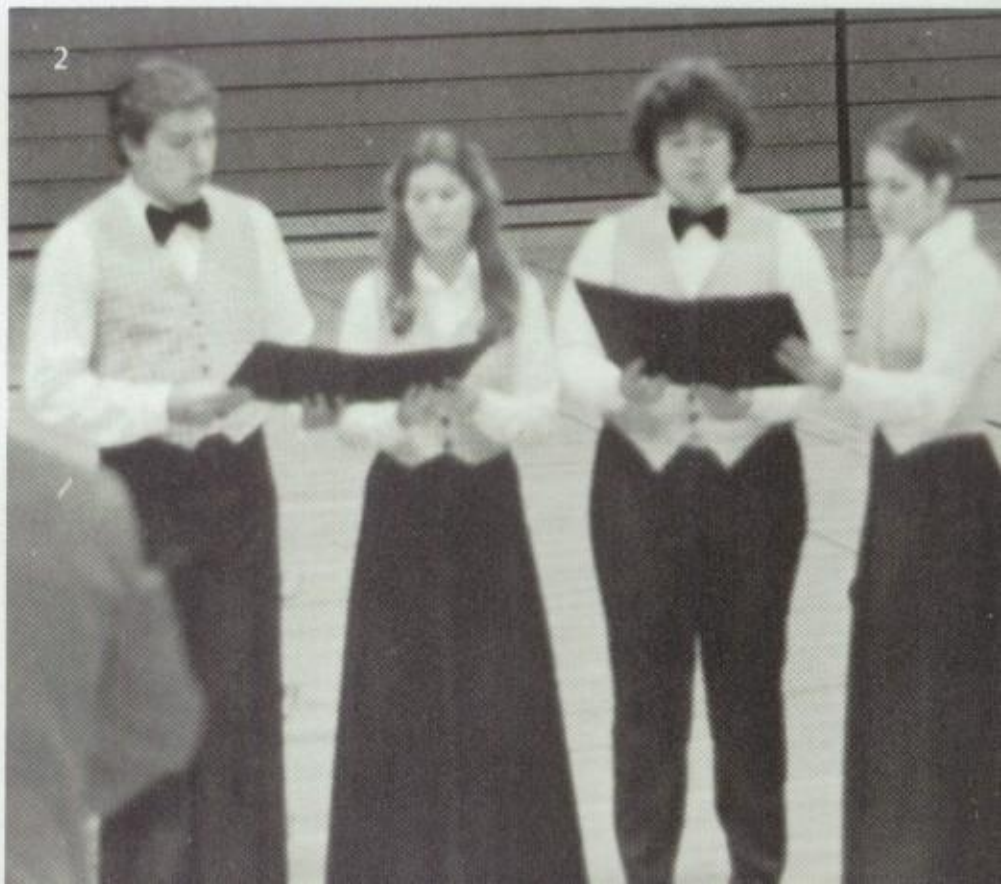
1. *MADRIGALS: Row 1:* Lori Campbell, Cheryl Sell, Lori Kremer, Jerri Moore, Miranda Mears, Anne Nelson, Lori Trapp, Melody Huff.
Row 2: Brian Abbott, Tim Garth, Joe Justice, Ray Wilson, Dennis Hawn, Tom Hinkle. 2. Baritones, Sopranos, Tenors, and Altos mix together to sing harmoniously.



ENTERTAINERS SING, SING, SING!

Singing here, singing there, and singing everywhere was mainly what *The Entertainers* did. The vocalists, along with first year Director Mr. Kevin Kayser, made their debut when they performed for Rotary.

The twenty-two people composing the swing choir were the most often asked for by the public and thus became familiar to the community. The group added variety to their shows through the use of choreography blended with the sound of their voices. So, sing on Entertainers!

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1. *ENTERTAINERS. Row 1:* Nancy Beale, Steve Johns, Miranda Mears. *Row 2:* Cherie Berto, Brian Abbott, Tom Hinkle, Cheryl Sell, Dennis Hawn, Pat Leahy, Anne Nelson. *Row 3:* Dee Sanderson, Phil Brown, Pianist Jennifer Kelly, Ray Wilson, Lori Kremer, Tim Garth, Amy Boerger, Joe Justice, Jerri Moore, Jeff Rider, Lori Trapp, Manager Lori Campbell. 2. "It's up to you" is choreographically based on the lyrics of a song. 3. Members of The Entertainers smile while receiving applause.

GIRLS PRESENT HALF-TIME

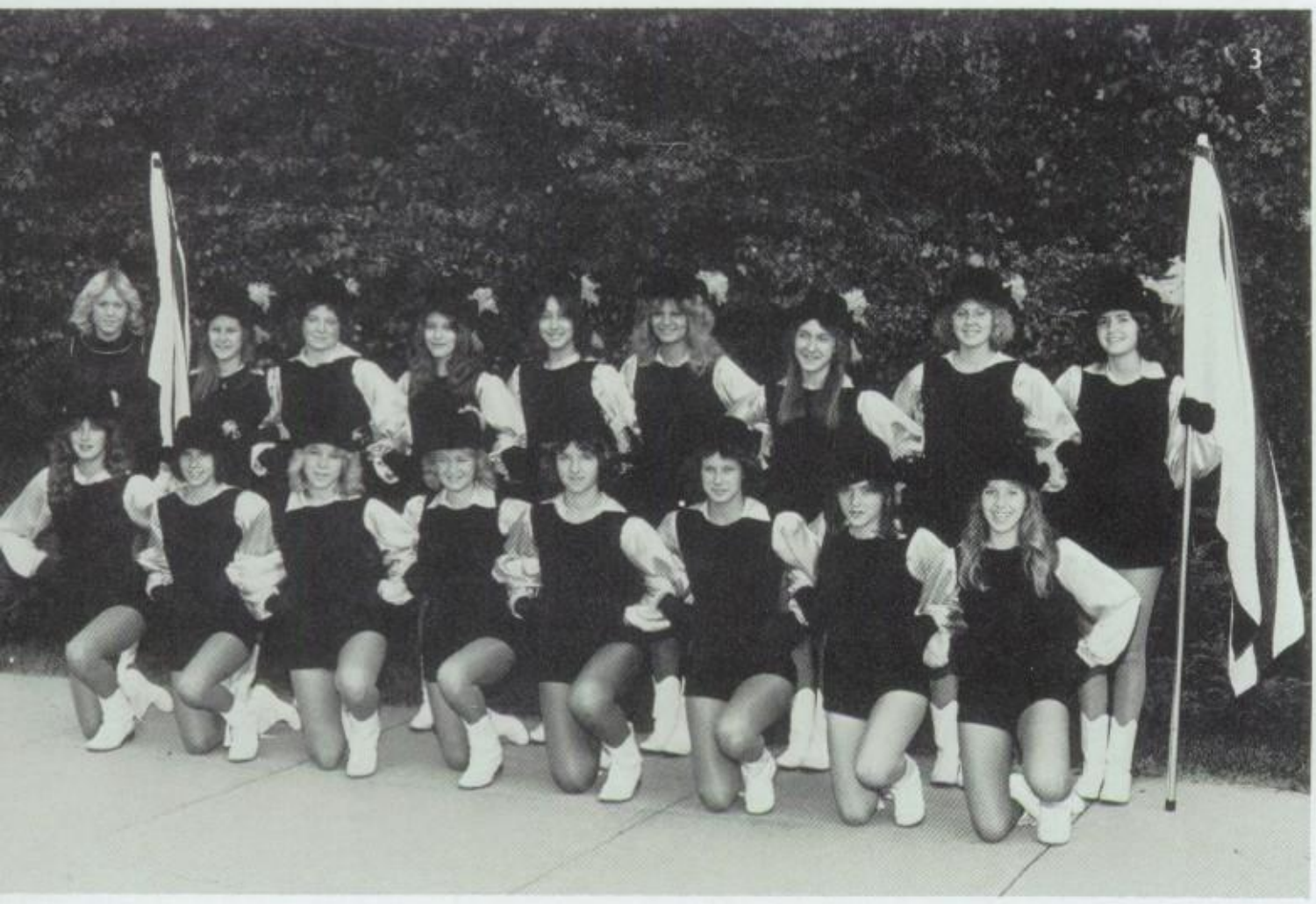
After the tenseness and anxiety of a Varsity basketball game, the crowd was ready for a break. They usually supplied themselves with popcorn, coke, or candy. However, at DCHS you didn't have to leave your seat for half-time entertainment. Presented for your enjoyment were the Pom Pon Girls dubbed the Delphi Darlings. Behind the scenes of a polished performance, the group of fifteen girls kept busy practicing two to three times a week. Selling pom pons at home games and a car wash were successful money making projects for the 1978-79 Pom Pon Squad sponsored by Mrs. Taran Armstrong. Ds

1. *POM PON SQUAD. Row 1:* K. McLemore, A. Maxwell, J. Riley, C. Garrison, B. Floyd, K. Myers, *Row 2:* C. Brovont, K. Randolf, A. Barnett, K. Britton, T. Mitchell, J. Dittman, D. Dickey, A. Brosman, E. Doerr, J. Dunn. 2. Novices H. Kendall and L. Sanderson get a kick out of Pom Pon rehearsal while J. Dittman has it down *pat.* 3. Put your hands together with T. Mitchell and D. Dickey in a Pom Pon routine.

FLAG GIRLS COORDINATED

If you happened to drive by the high school some sunny August afternoon, one may have seen a group of girls doing all kinds of strange movements with flags. Now, what would a group of girls be doing marching around the school on an Autumn afternoon? Had one looked closer, one would have seen that they were the flag girls, otherwise known as the *Delphi Darlings,* practicing for the football season.

Mrs. Teran Armstrong met with the girls daily to help them get each movement down pat. If the routines looked easy, it was because the girls worked very hard to get their timing and coordination right. TLS



1. Mr. Armstrong demonstrates a better way to hold the flag to Angie Maxwell. 2. Teresa Mitchell practices a routine under the watchful eyes of Connie Garrison. 3. *FLAG GIRLS. Row 1:* T. Mitchell, K. Brovant, A. Maxwell, B. Floyd, J. Dittman, K. Britton, J. Riley, J. Dunn. *Row 2:* K. Myers, L. Campbell, A. Barnett, E. Doerr, K. McLemore, C. Garrison, K. Randolph, D. Dickey, A. Brosman.

PREPARATION PAYS OFF

Shakos and spats, shuffling sharps and flats . . . it wasn't easy being in band. Hours of preparation were needed for each performance, whether it was a concert or half-time at a football game. Coordination was a key factor in playing an instrument, keeping time, and marching all at the same time.

Director Mr. Royce Armstrong did his best to see that the band played a wide assortment of songs. Being a good instrumentalist meant being able to play anything from classical music to rock 'n' roll.

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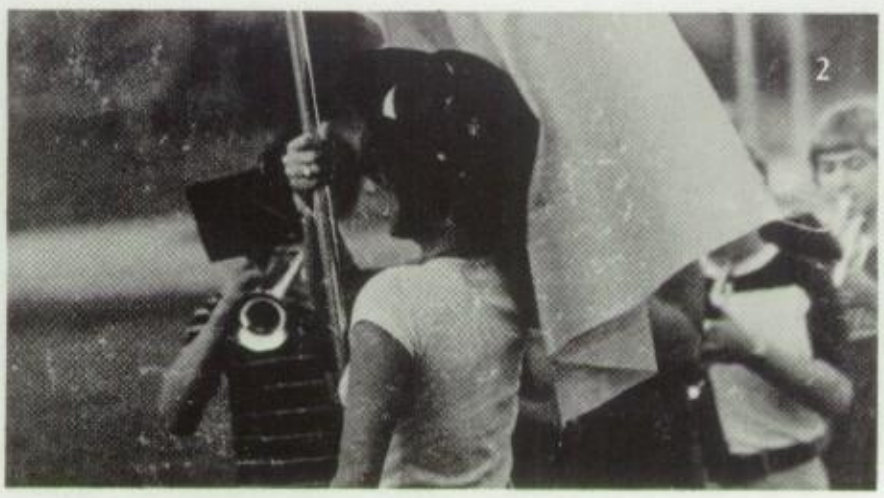
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1. Majorettes Gayle Abbott and Kathy Crume. 2. The band and flag girls practice together. 3. The band exhibits one of its many formations. 4. *Row 1:* S. Sullivan, T. Schock, L. Wise, D. Sanderson, L. Jenkins, T. Starbuck, R. Leinberger, J. Brown, H. Kendall, K. Campbell, S. Black. *Row 2:* M. Foster, K. Veach, L. Campbell, M. Witherspoon, J. Riley, L. Sanderson, M. Barnard, W. Stone, D. VanSickle, J. Anderson. *Row 3:* B. Kempf, E. Johns, M. Robeson, A. Brosman, T. Miller, B. Rude, T. Mitchell, K. Crume, J. Dunn, G. Abbott, J. O'Neill. *Row 4:* B. Richter, C. Cree, P. Powlen, T. Rhine, C. Sell, S. Seramur, L. Sprague, E. Doerr, K. Pearson, J. Dittman, L. Corman, D. Zolper, D. Lichtenberger. 5. *Row 1:* R. Franek, T. Elston, E. Brumbaugh, F. Brovont, B. Floyd, G. Rader, D. Ballard, D. Gribbon, J. Culley. *Row 2:* T. Phillips, J. Thompson, D. Hall, J. Morris, B. Emmons, H. Pressler, B. Shanks, C. Brovont. *Row 3:* F. Cook C. Bieghler, S. Downing, J. Hildebrandt, T. Gray, B. Hefner, S. Sullivan, L. Hathaway, M. Zolper, A. Barnett. *Row 4:* R. Warren, J. Bieghler, D. Elston, T. Garth, J. Mullin, K. Hathaway, D. Mullin, P. Smith, T. Hoshaw, M. Edging. *Row 5:* S. Fife, J. Rider, R. Wise. 6. Baton twirling isn't easy, as Tammy Wagner demonstrates to Cathy Britton and Janelle Riley. 7. Dee Sanderson checks the reed on her clarinet before beginning to play. 8. Twirler Tammy Wagner.

SPIRIT SQUADS

"And the next winner is ... the cheerleading squad from DCHS." Those were the words heard from the award presentation platform at the National Cheerleaders Association's Convention at Ball State University. The nine girls won many ribbons and one of the highest awards — *THE SPIRIT STICK* for their original cheers and spirit throughout that busy week.

The cheerleaders raised money for the squad by selling all-occasion cards and corsages during Homecoming Week.

The varsity squad consisted of two seniors and three juniors. Keltie Sullivan was squad captain. The junior varsity group was made up of all sophomores, and the freshman team consisted of six girls who were all new to cheerleading. Who could live without the excitement that the boy cheerleaders added to basketball games? Those five guys worked very hard and inspired much enthusiasm at all games. KS

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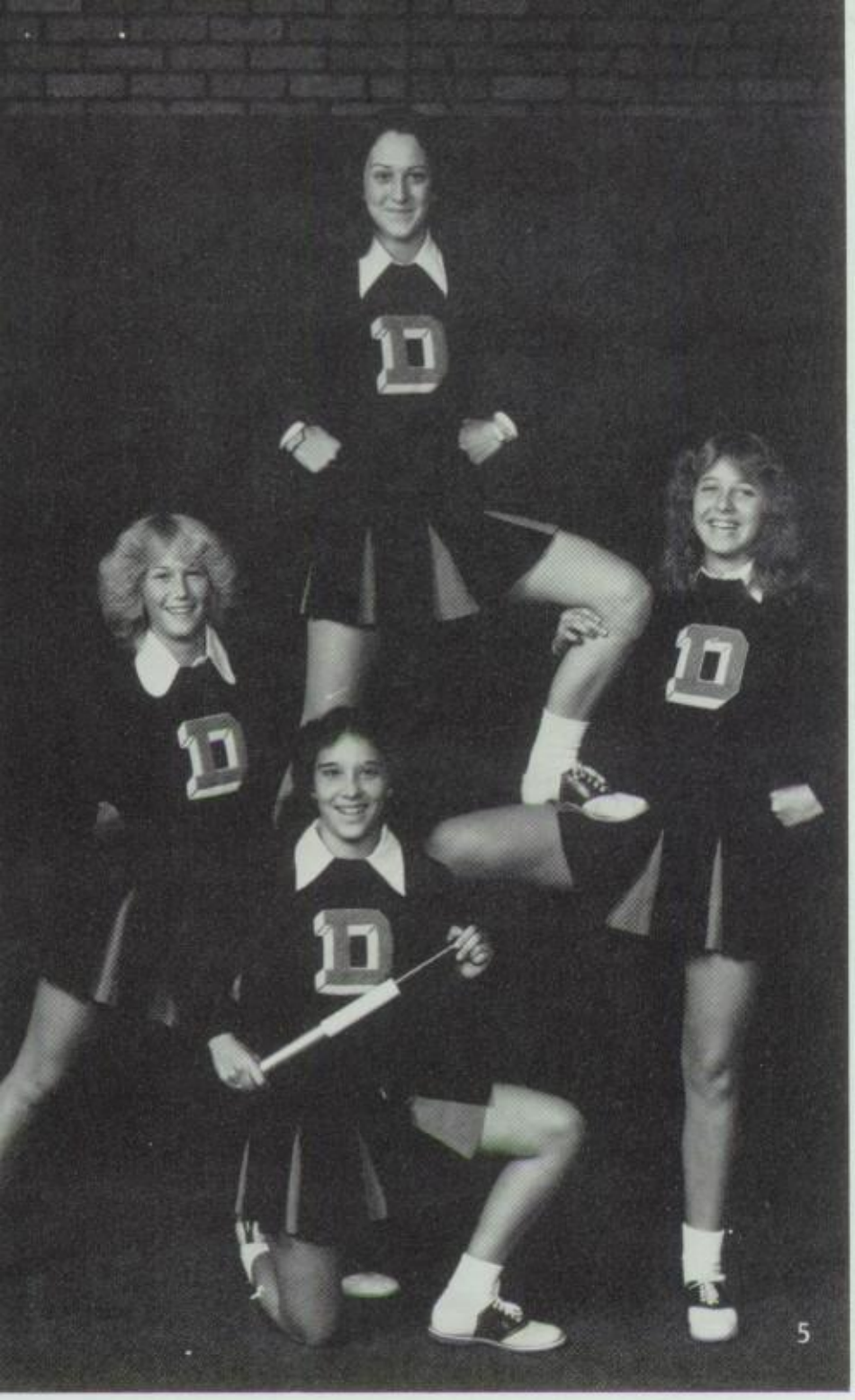

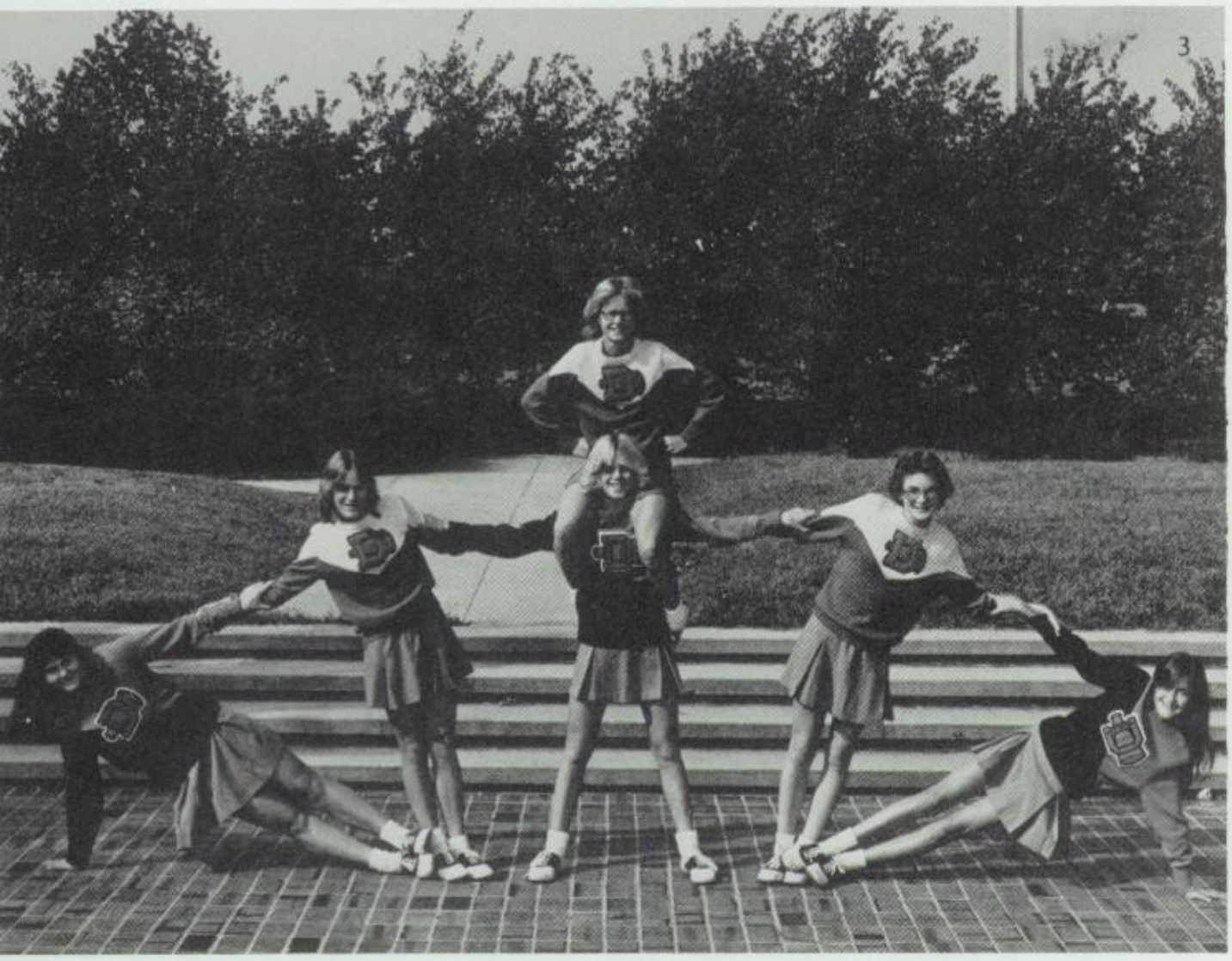

1. "Little" Kevin Hathaway helps the cheerleaders put on a pep session by biking to a victory. 2. *VARSITY and BOY CHEERLEADERS. Row 1:* Becky Kempf, Chuck Veach, Cherie Berto, Diane Berkshire. *Row 2:* Keltie Sullivan, Pat Clawson, Brad Watson, Brad Hatke, Terrie McGreevey, Ron Starbuck. 3. *FRESHMEN CHEERLEADERS.* Dawn Smart, Peggy VanHorn, Tonya Garrison, Monica Witherspoon (above), Marceita Morrow, Jackie Garrison. 4. *Row 1:* Terri McGreevey. *Row 2:* Diane Berkshire, Becky Kempf, Keltie Sullivan. *Row 3:* Cherie Berto. 5. *JUNIOR-VARSITY CHEERLEADERS. Row 1:* Marla Stewart. *Row 2:* Robyn Hughes, Judy Price. *Row 3:* Jan McIntire.

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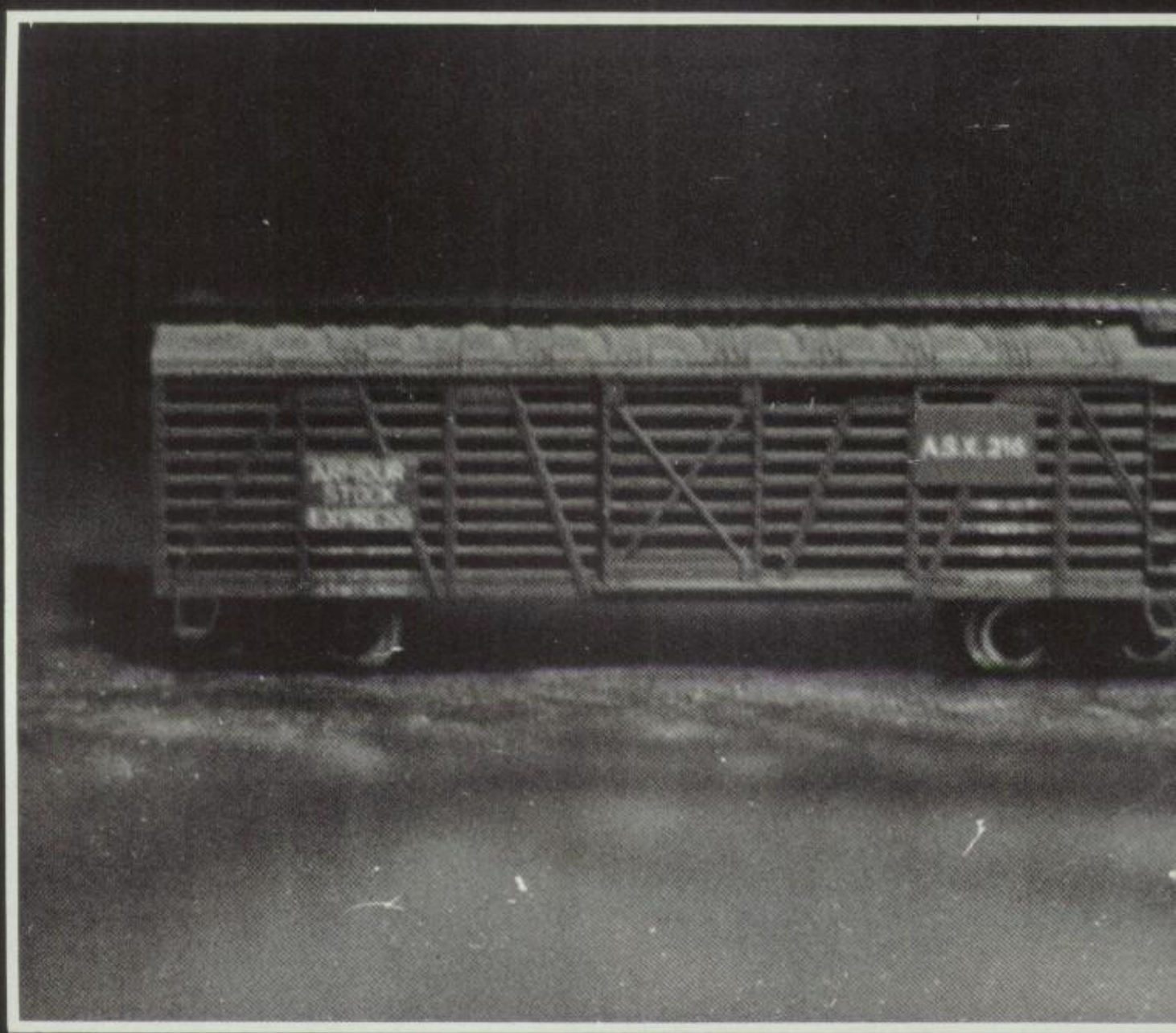

CONDUCTING CLASSES

When passing the business wing, one might have expected to hear the tap, tap, tapping of typewriters, the whirring of business machines, pens hurridly scribbling shorthand, or the churning of brains in Accounting, Recordkeeping, Business Law, and Business Communications classes.

Whatever the noises, there would have been a business teacher just around the corner to supervise. It could have been Mrs. Carol Wolfe, Mrs. Jane McIntire, Mrs. Edna Grimm, or Mr. Mike Lane.

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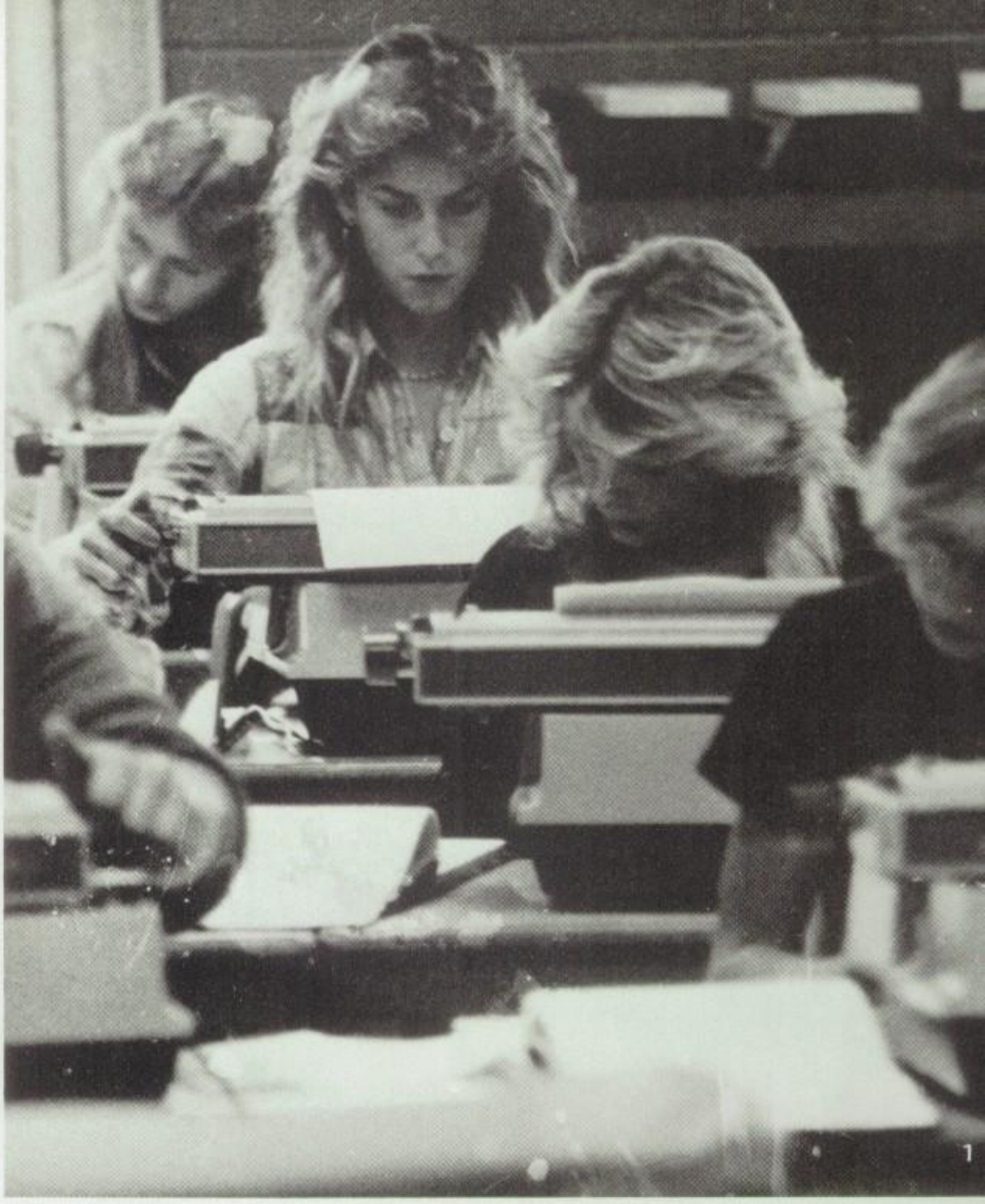
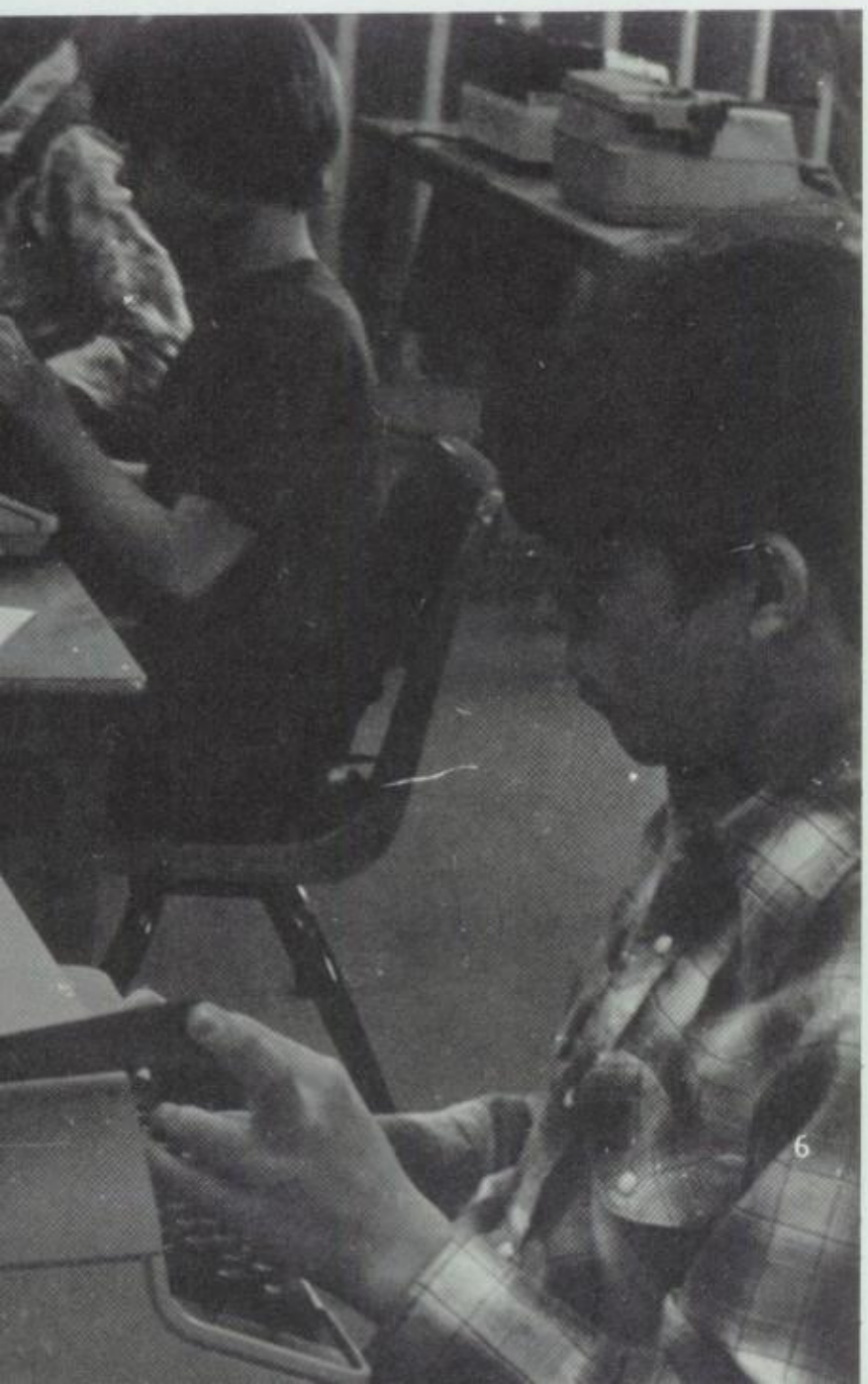
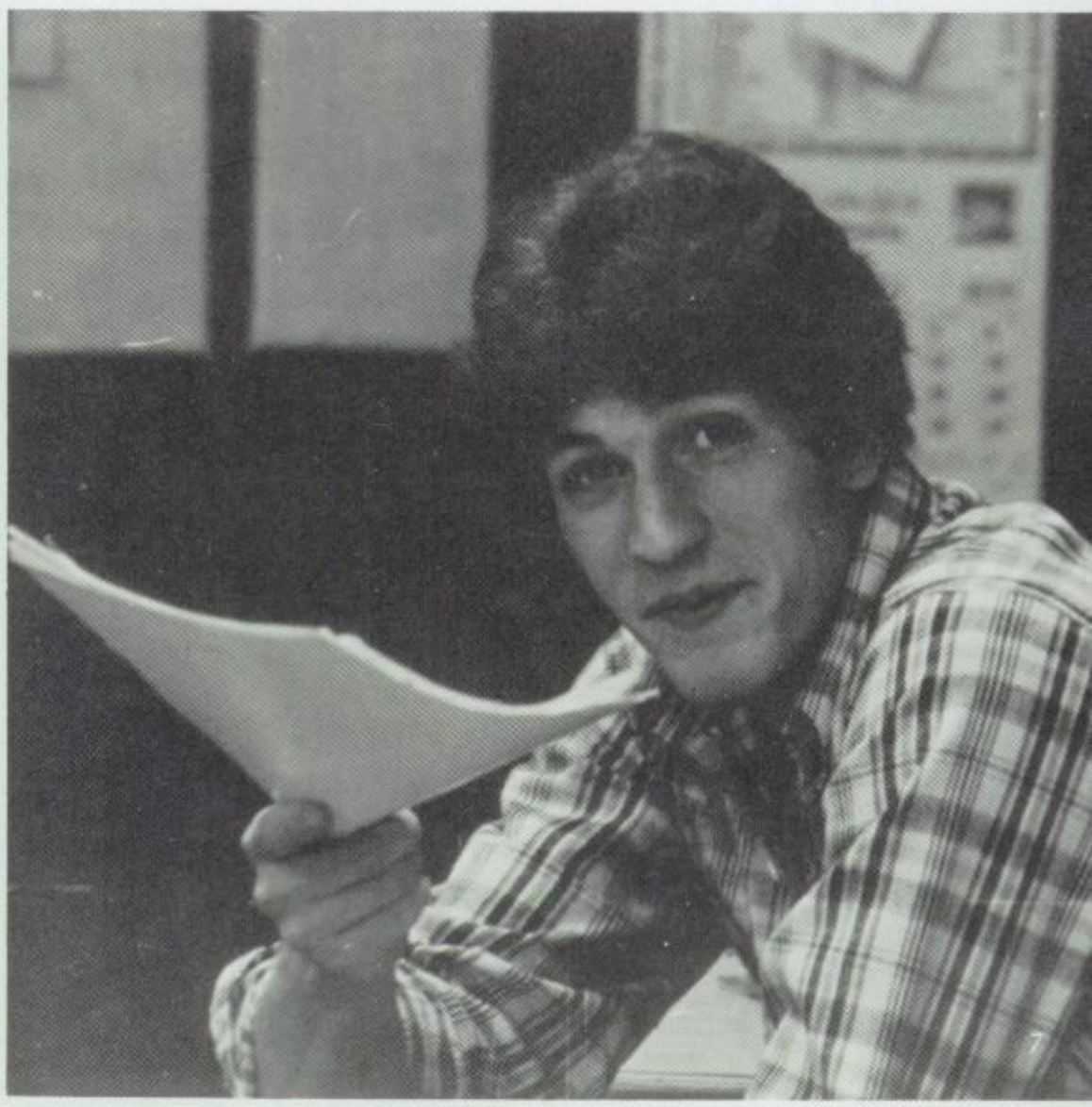
NOISES OF BUSINESS WING



1. Concentration is a key factor in typing. 2. Mrs. Wolfe points out something funny in her book. 3. Mr. Lane discusses an assignment with Mike Brown. 4. Mrs. McIntire quickly prepares for a class. 5. Checking a student's work is Mrs. Grimm 6. Allan George uses quick hand motions when typing. 7. Paper anyone?





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NOT FOR GIRLS ONLY

As a replacement for your *handy dandy kitchen helper,* (which invariably breaks down), DCHS presented the boys of *Singles Survival* class. They battled the forces of nature and produced such delicasies as beef stroganoff, peach and/or apple pie. This class proved that Home-Ec was not *for girls only.*

Other branches of this department that were beneficial for the *girls* included Foods I and II, Clothing I and II, Family Housing, Family Living, Family Management, Teen Relations, and Teen Management. Mrs. Jane McIntire and Mrs. Bedeva Bowling headed this *practical* wing of the school, and were experts on everything you wanted to know about Home-Ec. but were *afraid to ask!* Ds

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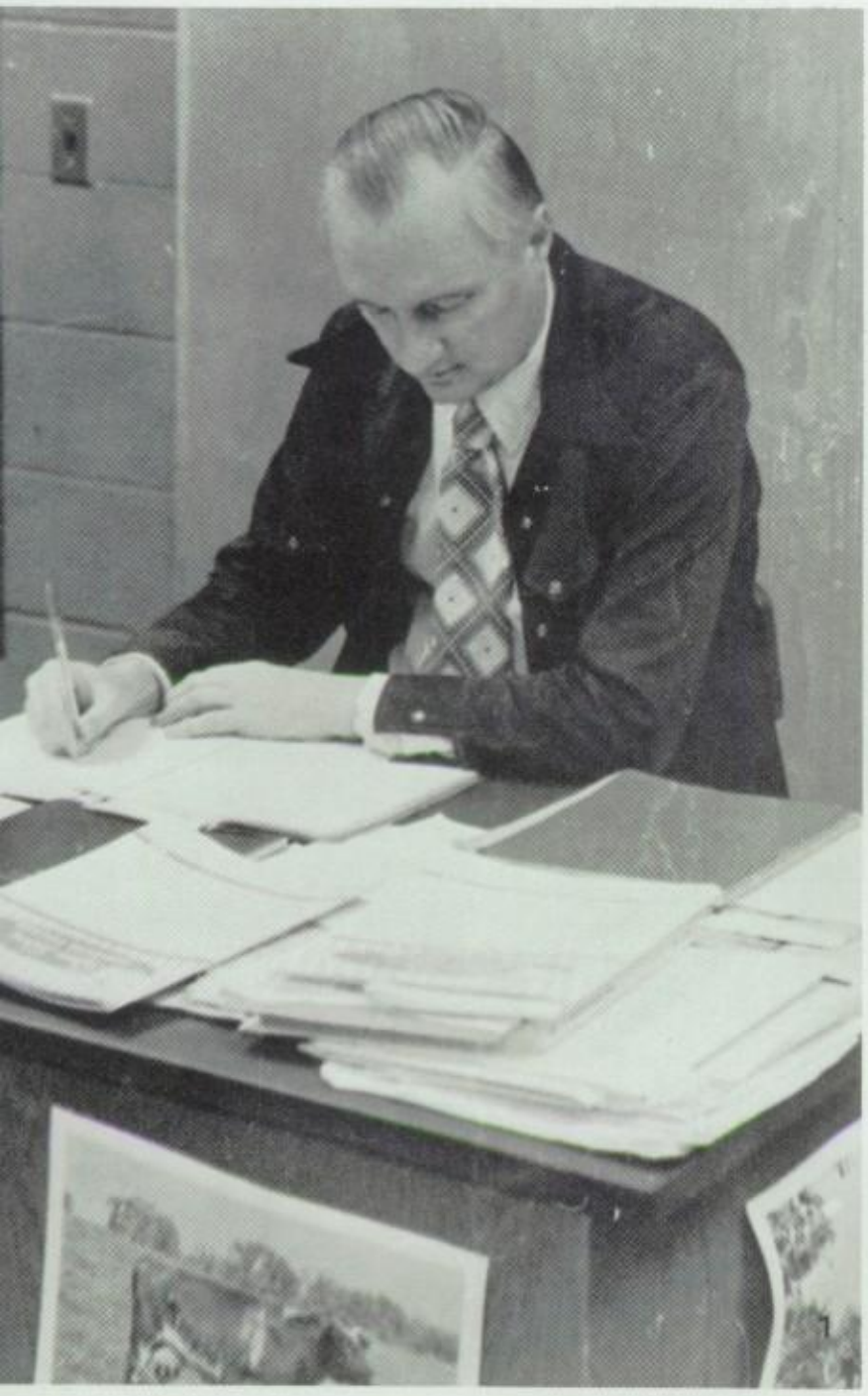
1. Guess who's *cooking* our dinner? Eric Nelson, David Harford, and Bernie Wallmann in *Singles Survival* class. 2. "Why do you preshrink material," asks Mrs. Bowling in Clothing I class.



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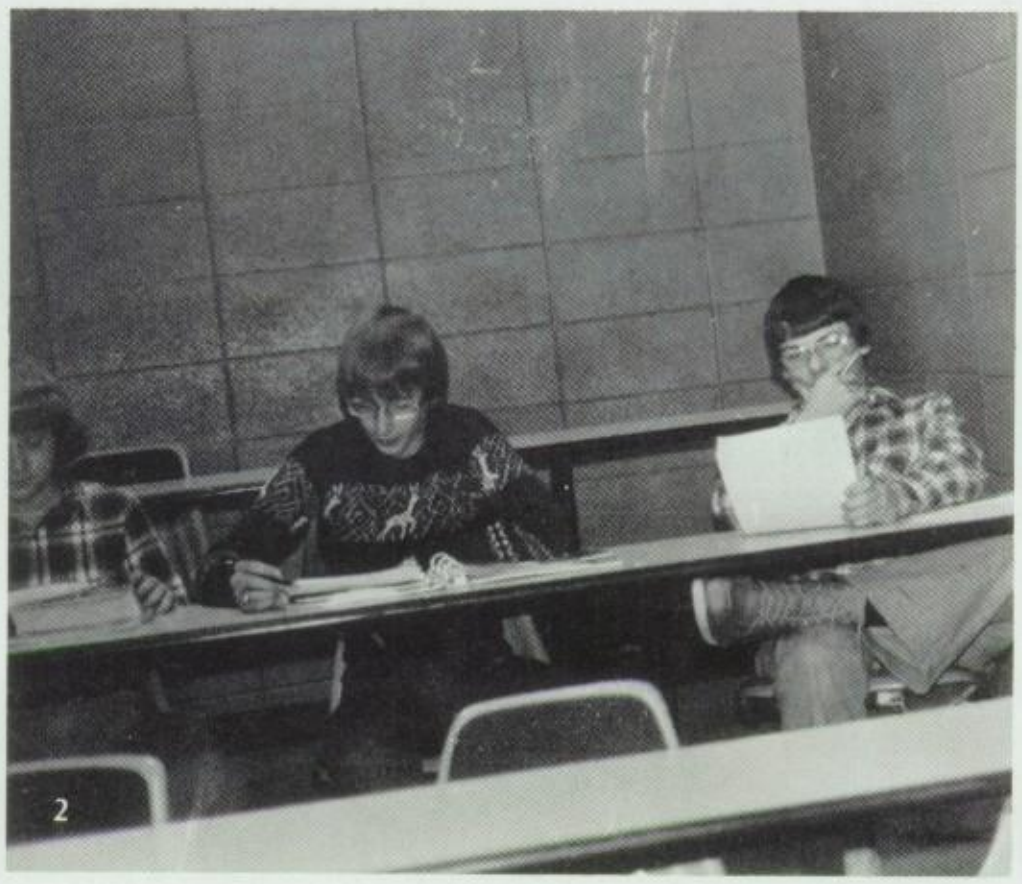
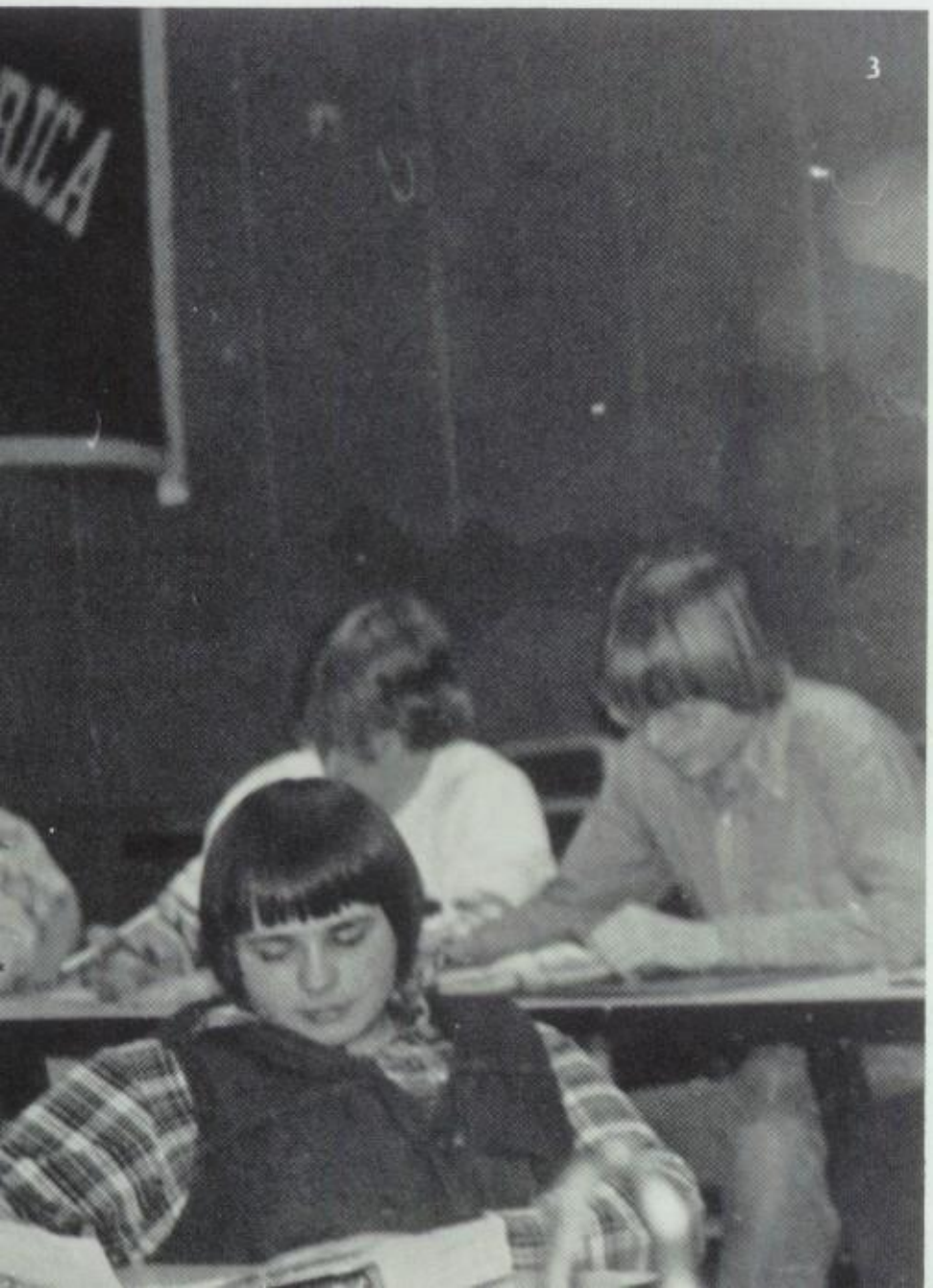
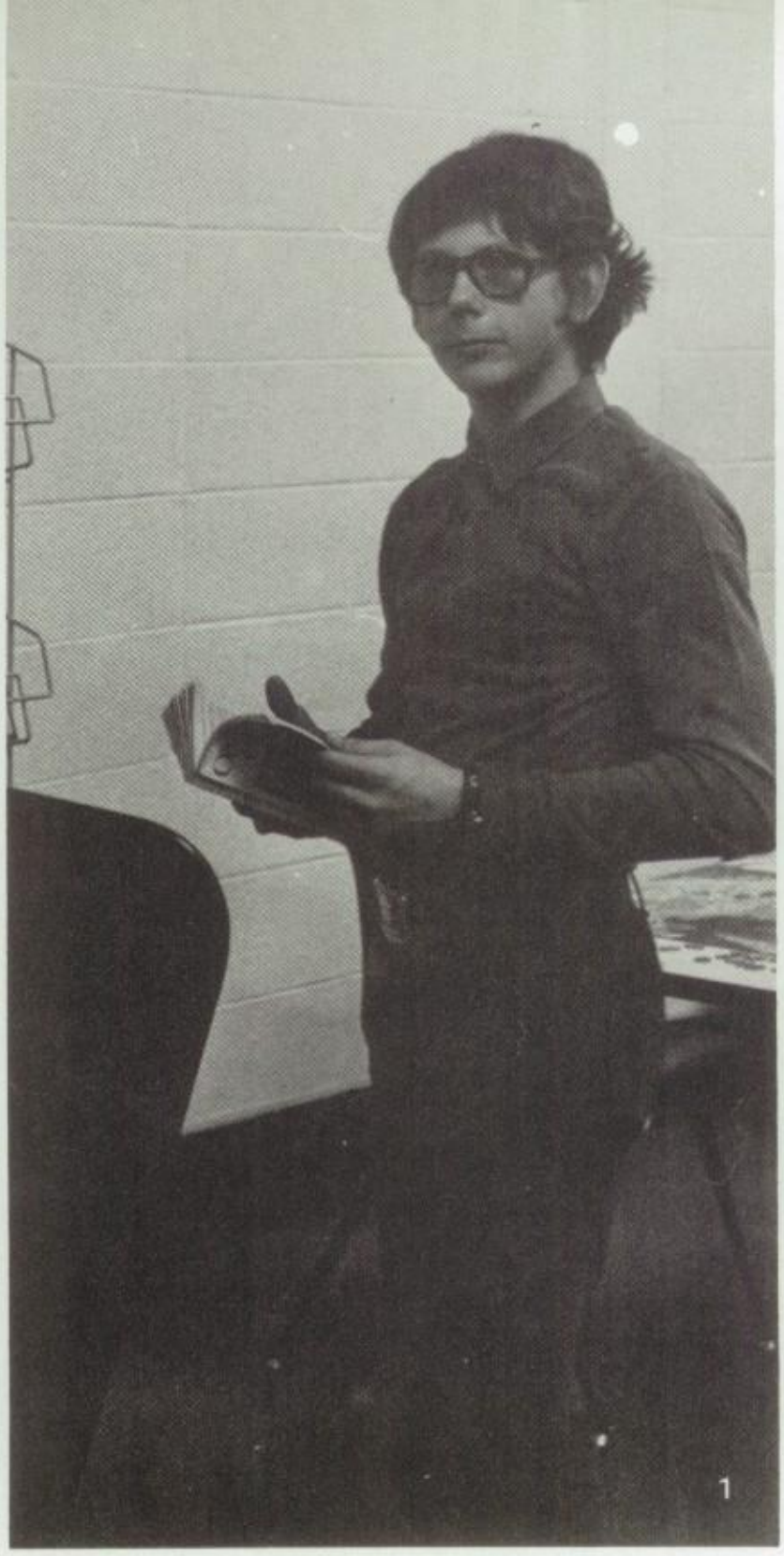




Pigs in space? Kermit the frog might think so but that wasn't quite true at DCHS. However, one could find experts on pigs and other farm animals in Mr. William Morrison's Animal Science class. Other subject matter covered in the Agriculture department included a Crop Science class, Farm Management, and Vocational Agriculture classes I and II. Ag students really interested in these subjects usually found time to participate in FFA. Ds

1. Ag ... "check it out" ... Mr. Morrison does. 2. The Three Muske*steers*, David Lybrook, P.T. Jefferies, and Scott Jennings. 3. C.T. Hanaway has a hard time facing Ag head on.



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PVE = SELF IMPROVEMENT

Did you let history get you down? Did math present a problem for you? If the answer to either of these questions was *yes*, you should have enrolled in a PVE course. *Pre-Vocational Education* was for any student working for self improvement in any solid subject. Instructors Mr. Mike Sanders and Miss Edna Kochert spent their time helping, guiding, and teaching the PVE students during classroom time. Each student also assisted in the book bindary with Bindary Aide Mrs. Judy Boone.

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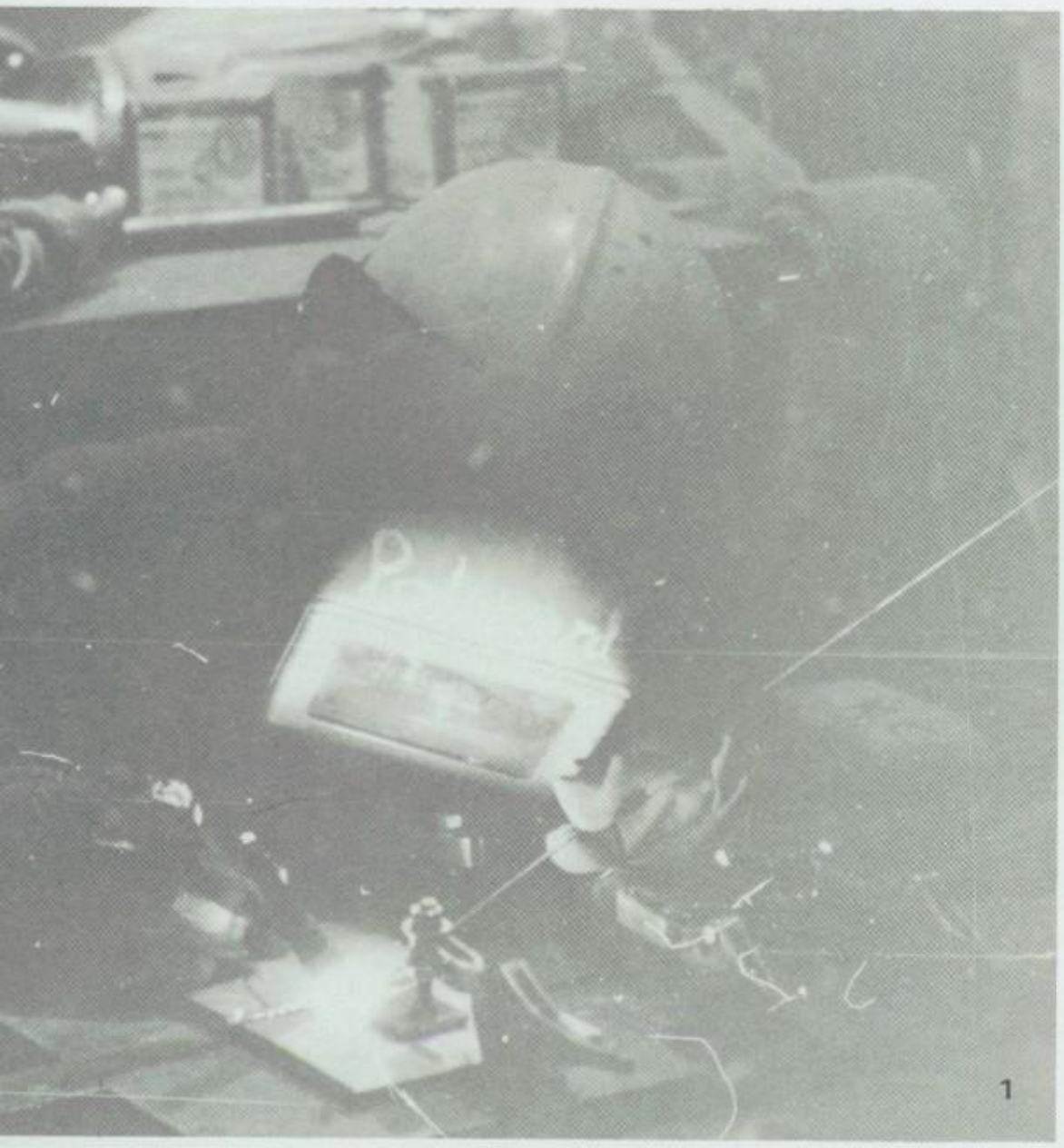
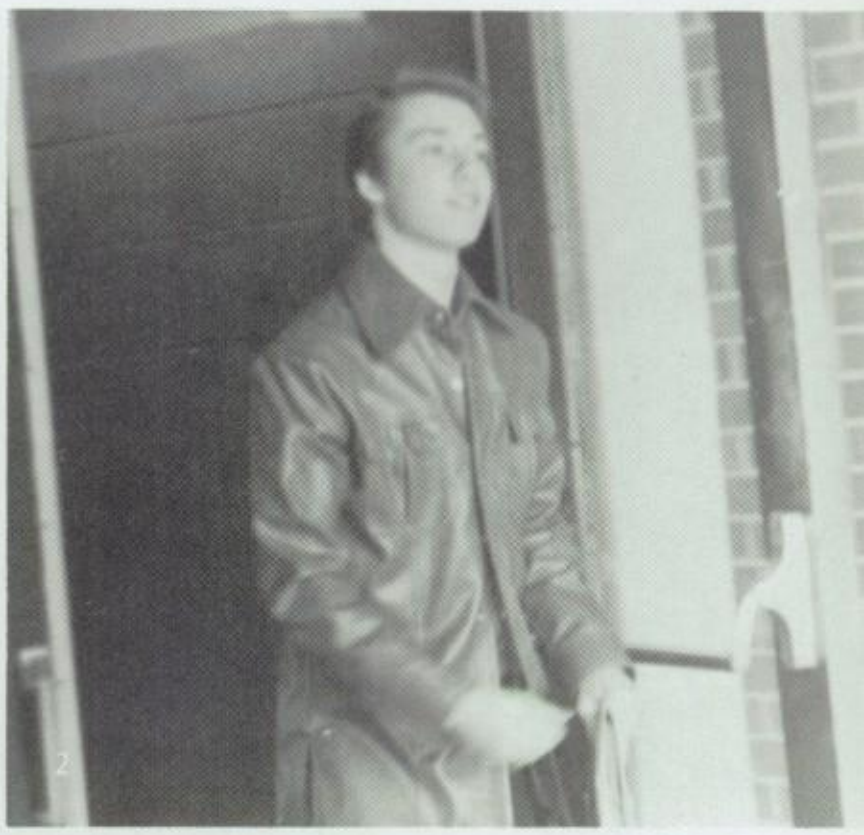
1. Jaryl Kuns realizes you can't judge a book by it's cover as he looks through one. 2. It doesn't seem that David Walters is concentrating on his studies! 3. Discussing a homework assignment is Tim Hoopingarner and Tony Powell.





NEW VENTURES

During 4th period in AE-4, ICE started class. You may be wondering what exactly is ICE. Well, ICE stands for *Interdisciplinary Cooperative Education,* (that's a mouthful, huh?) The students enrolled in the course learned different job skills from teacher Mrs. Claudia Maher during classroom time and also gained on the job experience for the remainder of the day. Every junior or senior had to have a job to be eligible for the ICE course. Jobs varied widely from working in a florist shop to working on a turkey farm.

Health Occupations was also held 4th hour. These students learned specifically about health oriented jobs. Second semester they traveled to different training jobs with most of the students going to White County Memorial Hospital. Teacher Mrs. Ruth Overbeck taught at Twin Lakes High School during the first half of the day and then came to DCHS for period four.

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1. No, it's not something from *outer space,* it's Kent Clem working at Alloy Crafts. 2. Tom Hinkle leaves school on his way to a Health Occupations job. 3. ICE teacher Mrs. Maher shows the class a new assingment.

The History pod was a place where everyone ended up before graduation. Leading their way in classes were instructors Mr. Joseph Seurynck, Mr. Norm Miller, Mr. David Beale, and Mr. Jim Lichtenberger.

Learning about other parts of the world proved interesting for the sophomores enrolled in World History classes.

Juniors learned of their heritage and of the formation of our country in U.S. History class, while seniors could be found in Government class fulfilling one of the requirements for graduation. Upper classmen also had the choice of Psychology, Sociology, of Economics before entering the outside world and making their own history.

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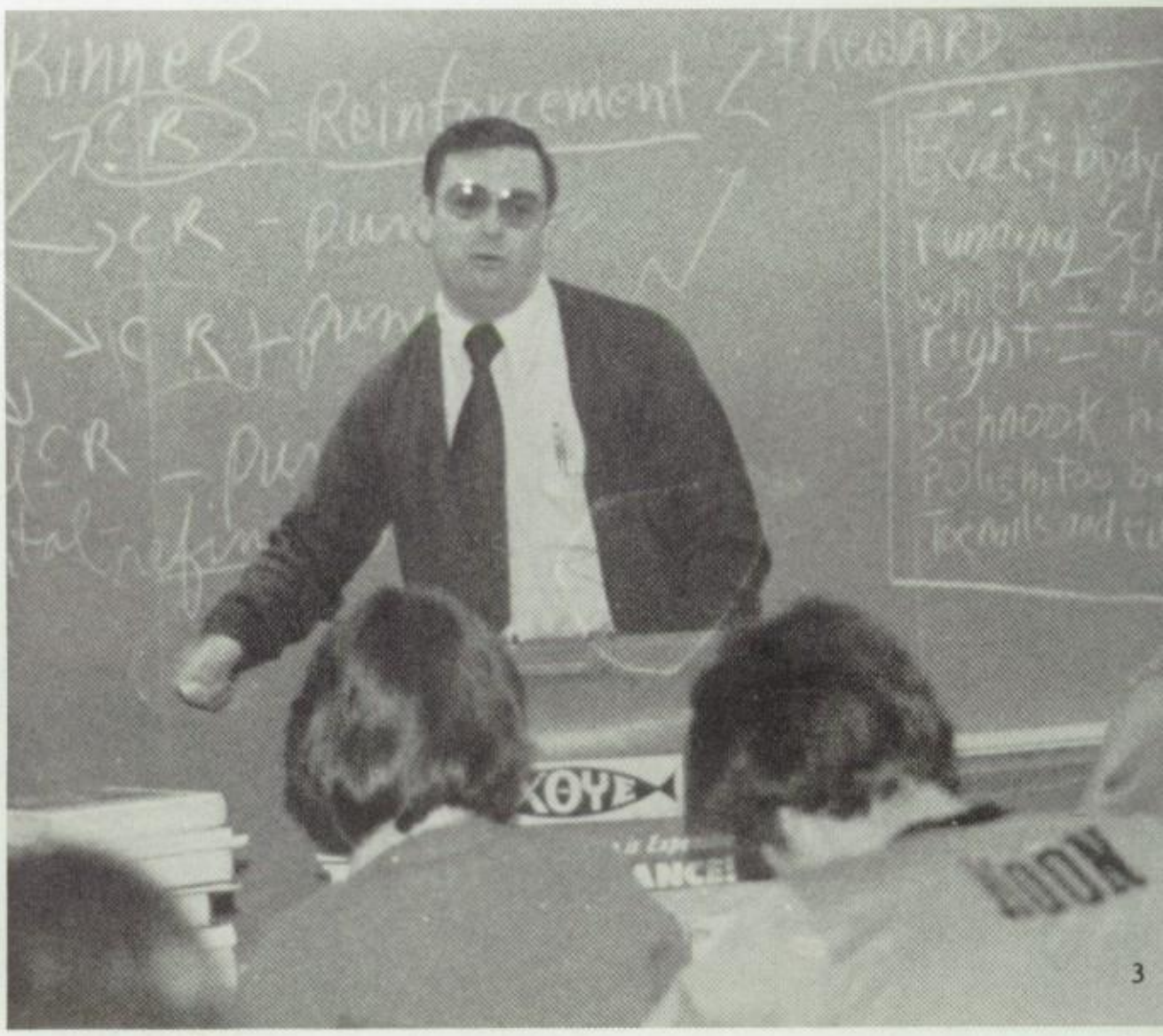
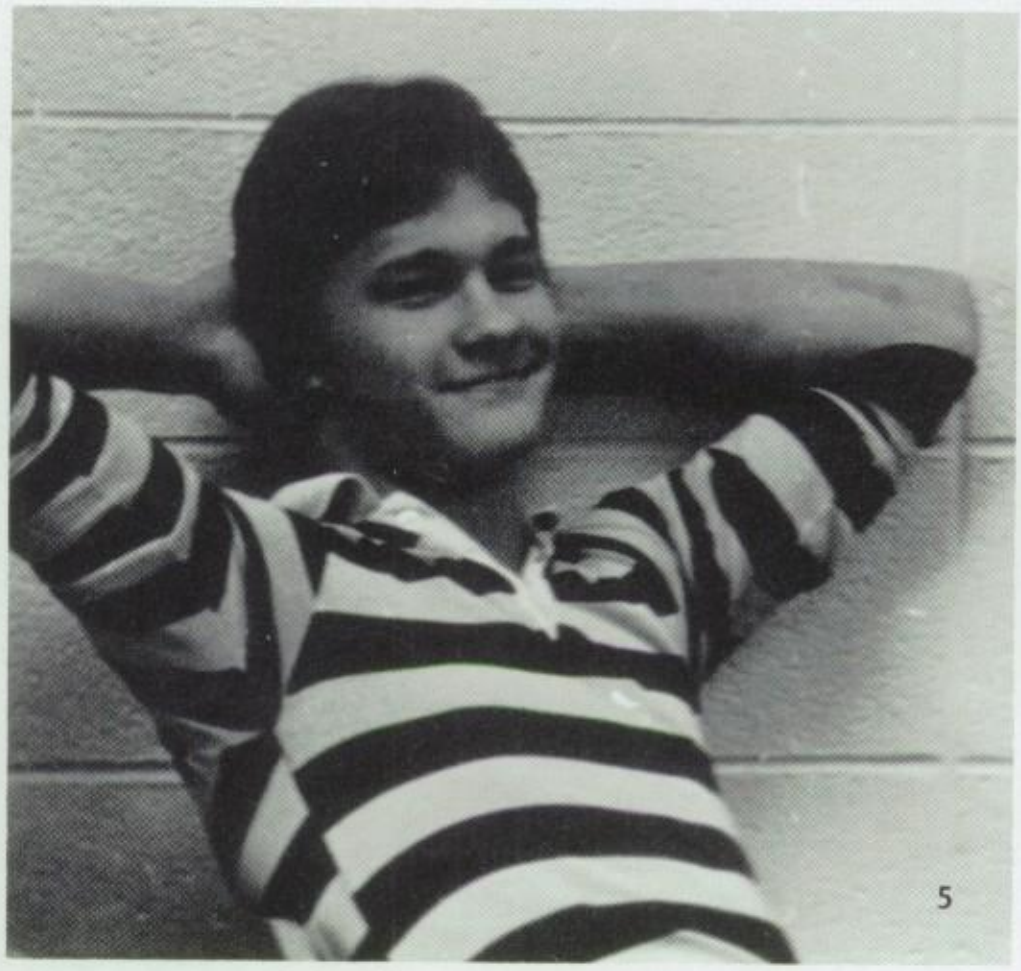
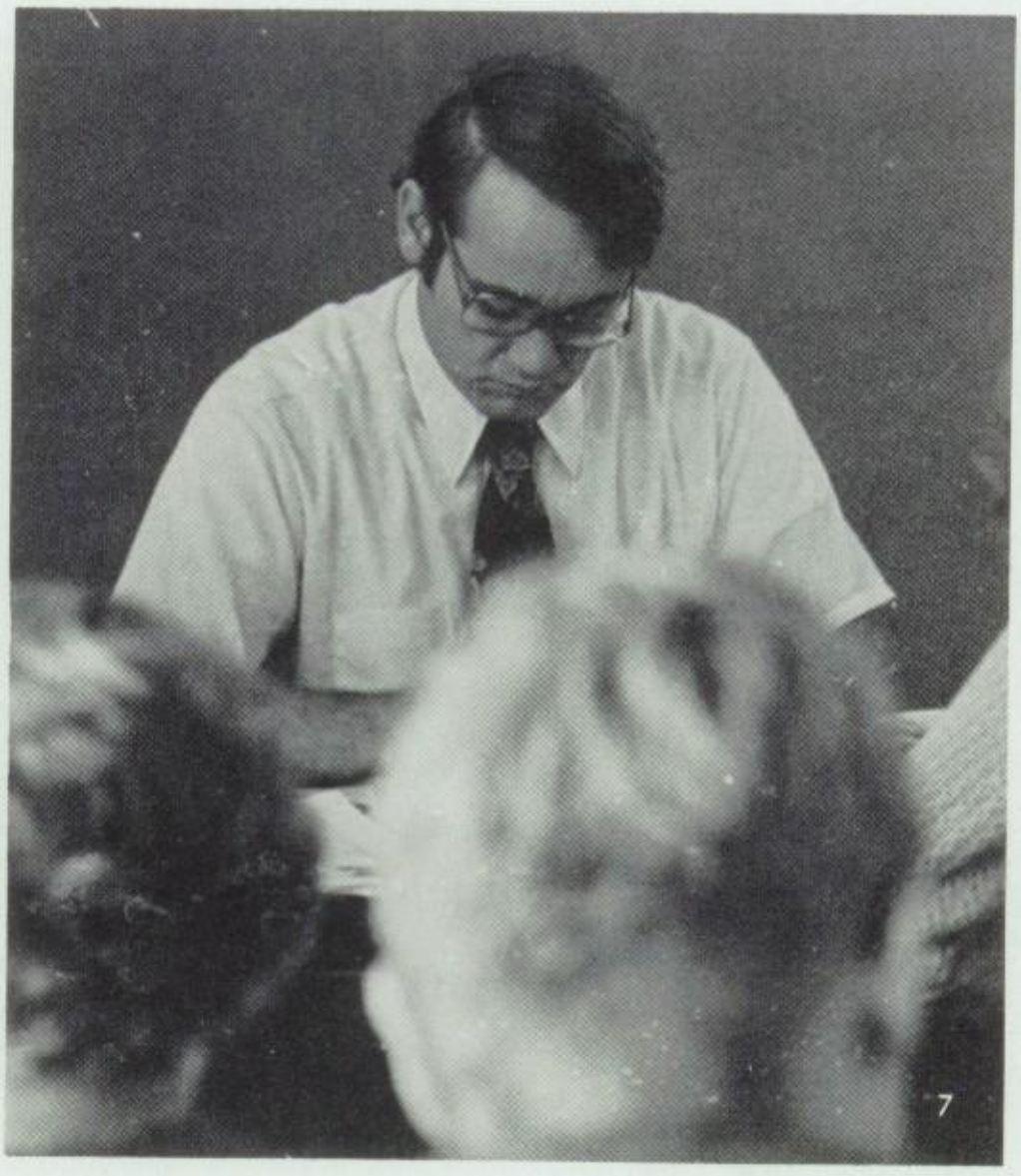
MAKING THEIR OWN HISTORY



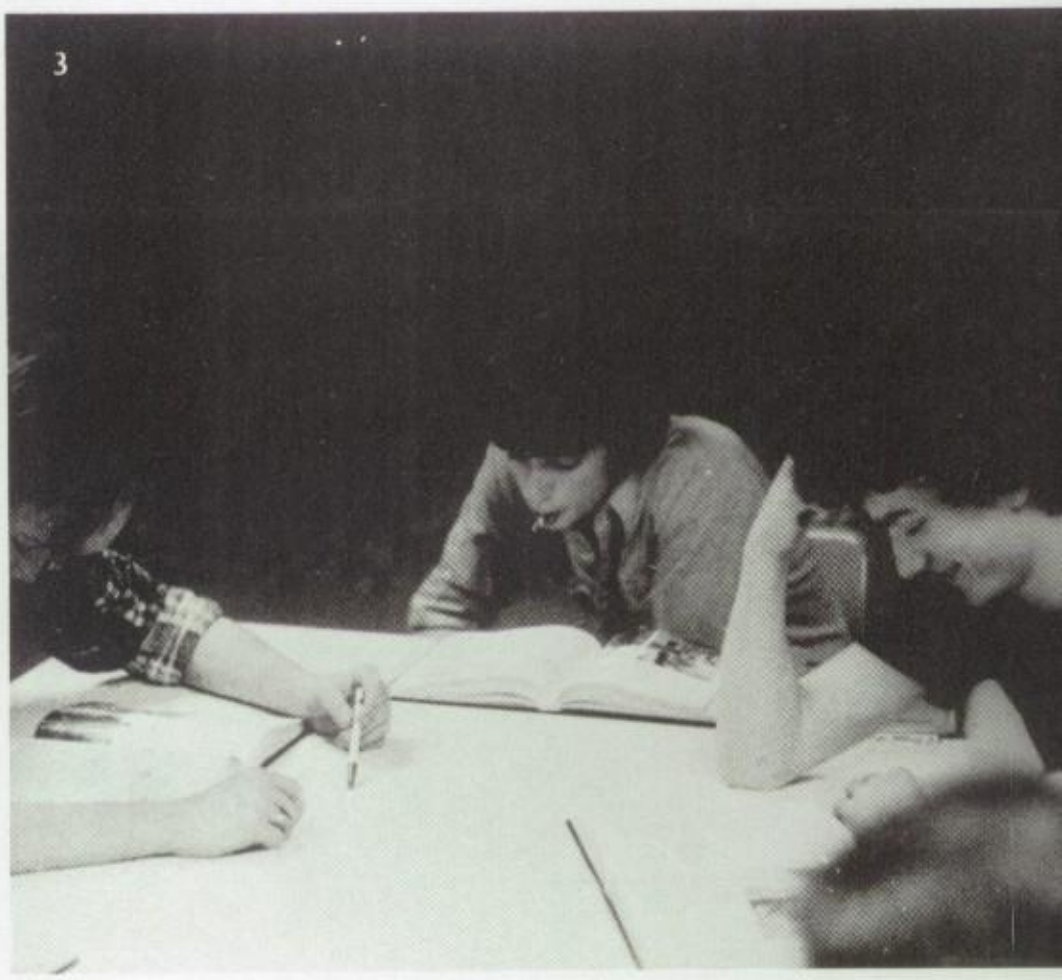


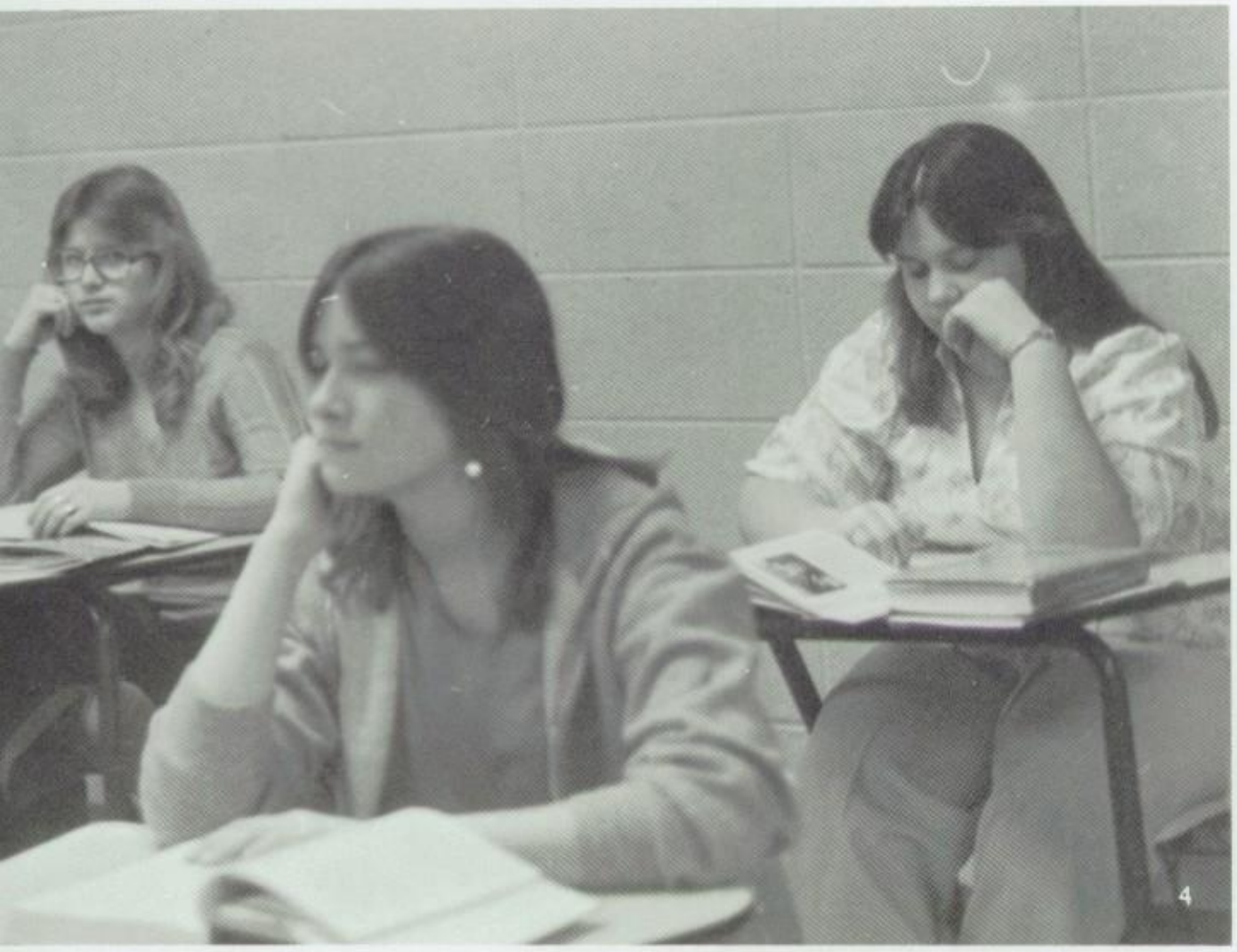
1. The projector proves to be a *"handy"* arm rest for Mr. Beale as he looks upon his class. 2. Members of this class demonstrate the many ways of studying. 3. Mr. Seurynck uses "body language" to emphasize his lectures. 4. The message is quickly *"pointed* out" by Mr. Lichtenberger. 5. Rodger Replogle uses government class as a time to relax. 6. Kevin Cripe gazes out the door in search of a passing camera. 7. A studying class gives Mr. Miller a time of *peace* and *quiet.*



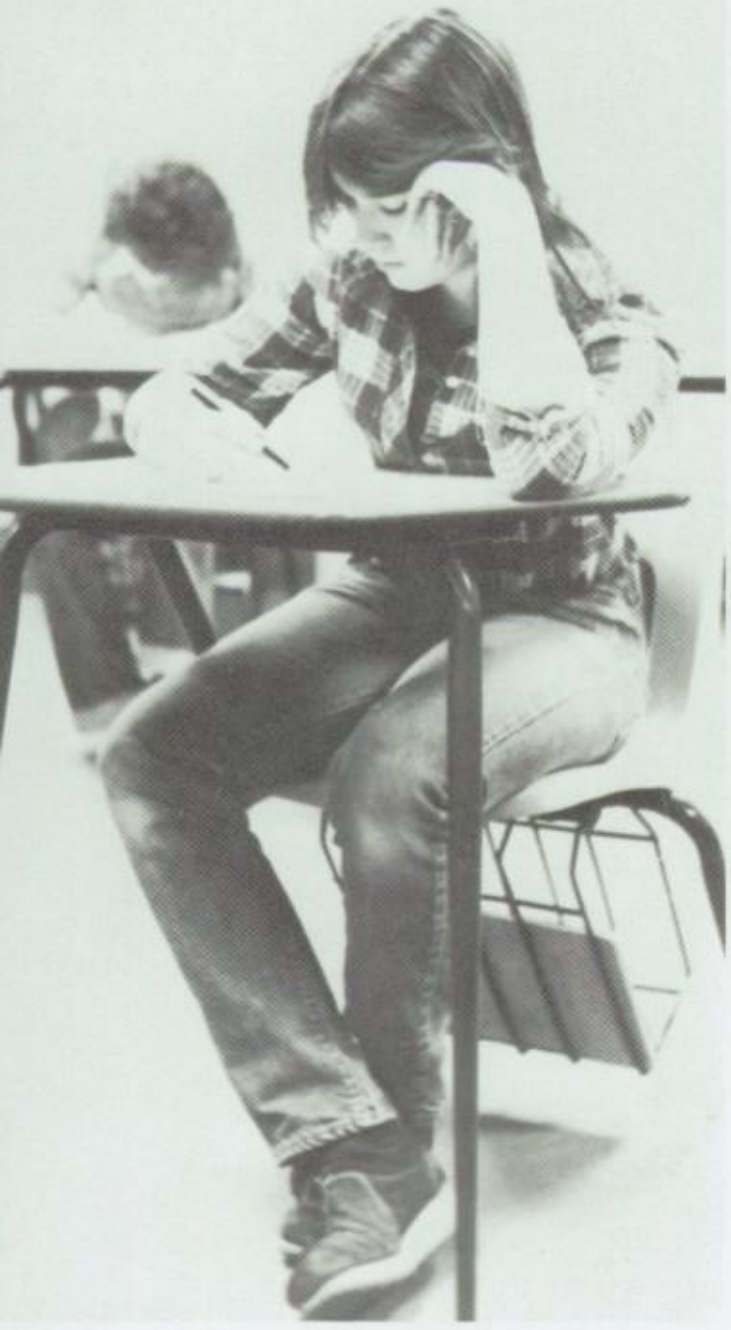
DIFFERENT STROKES FOR DIFFERENT FOLKS

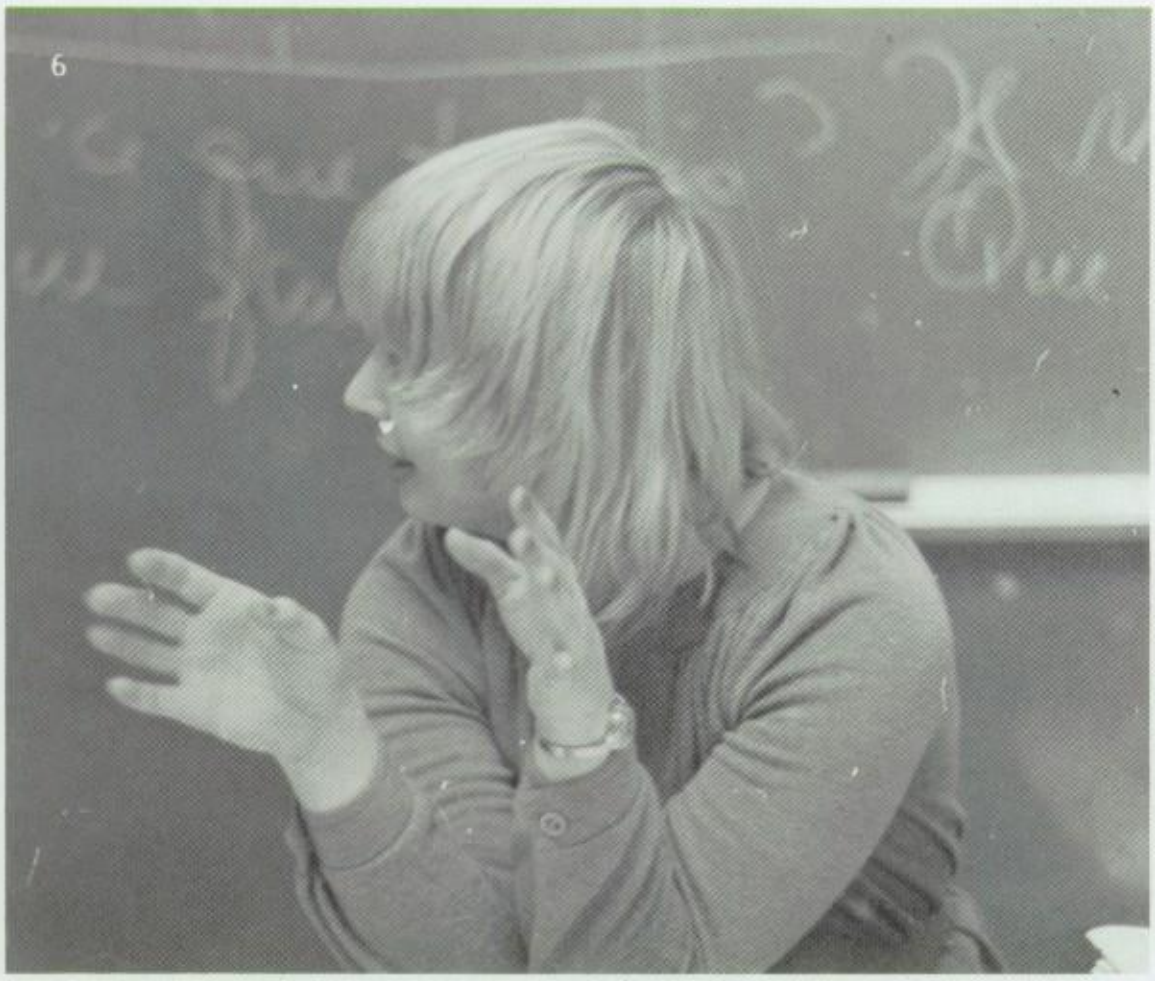
It was amazing how many different answers students gave when asked why they were taking a foreign language. Some indicated that they liked the sounds of, or wanted experience in speaking a language other than English. Others thought they might like to become interpreters someday. One *sly* girl replied that she was learning German so she could speak *privately with her boyfriend.* One person admitted her only reason was to fulfill college prep requirements. Whatever the reason, Mr. Abe Alvarez and Miss Linda Lewellen made sure their students learned and appreciated Spanish, French, or German. TLS

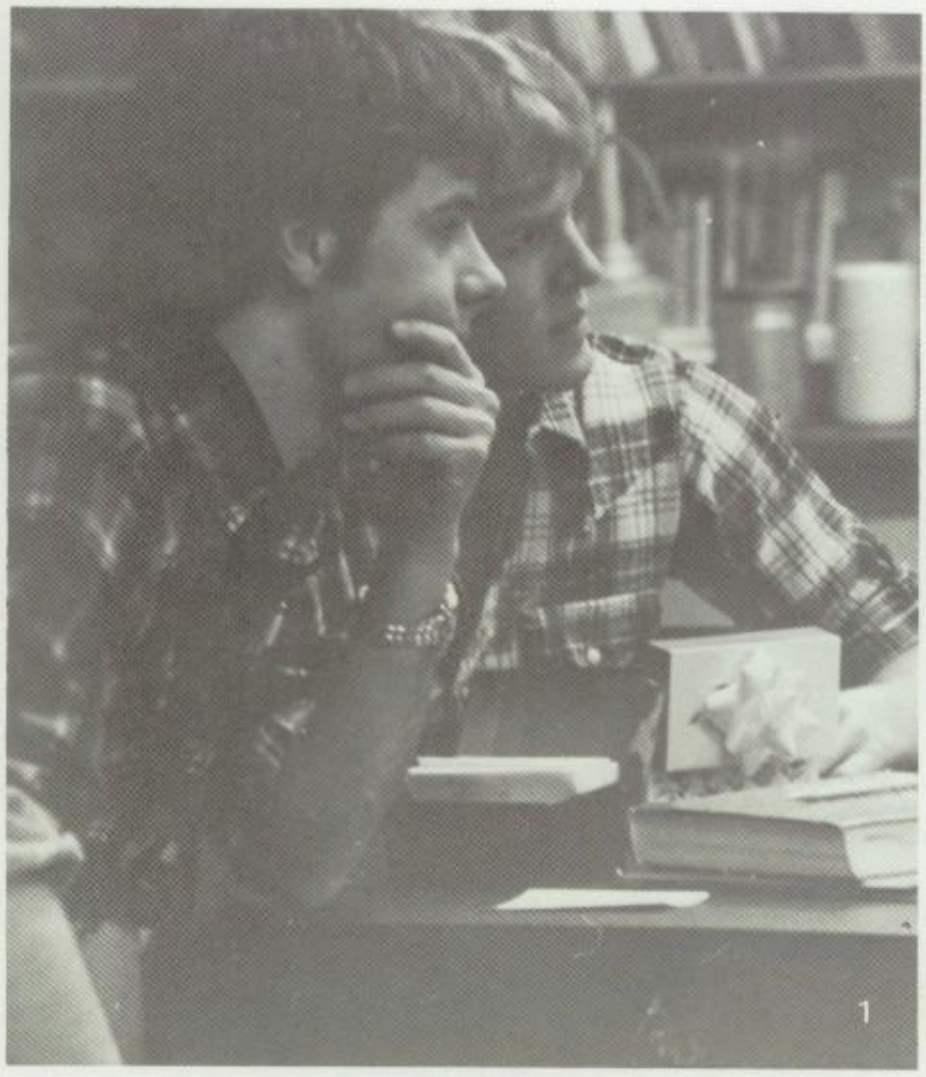


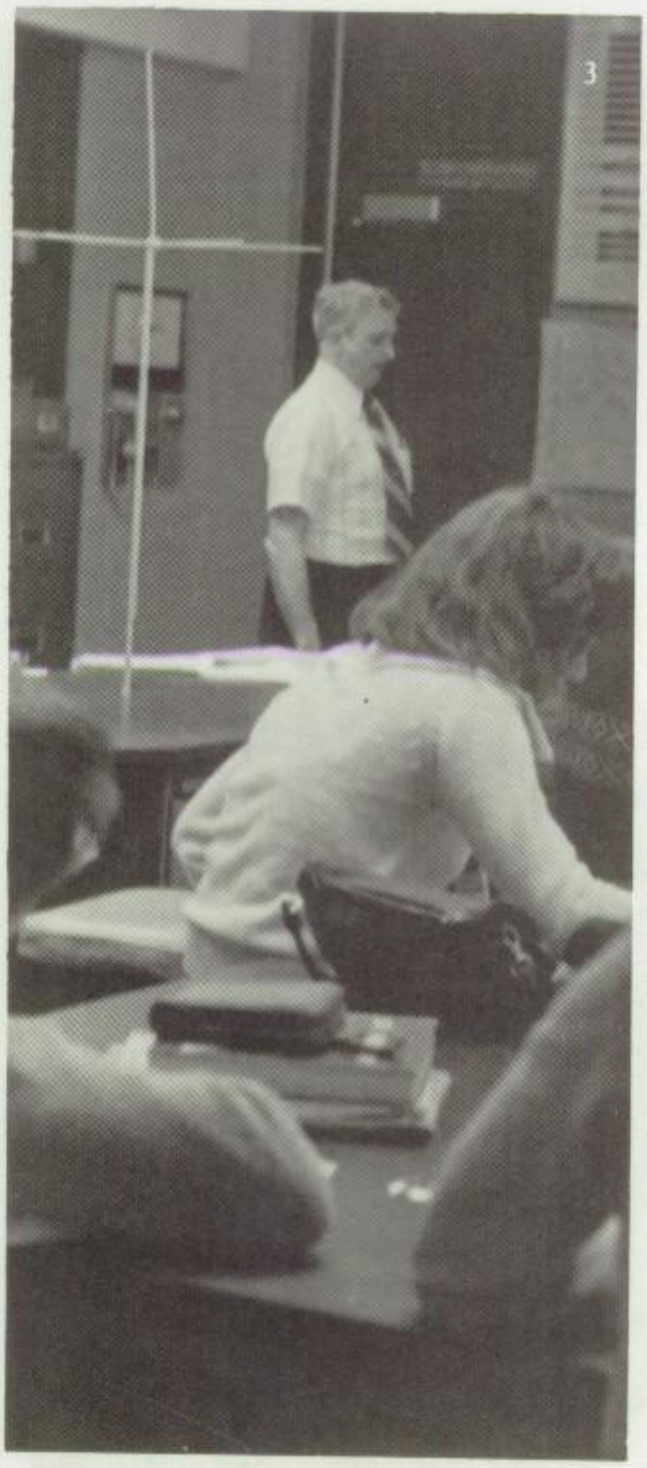


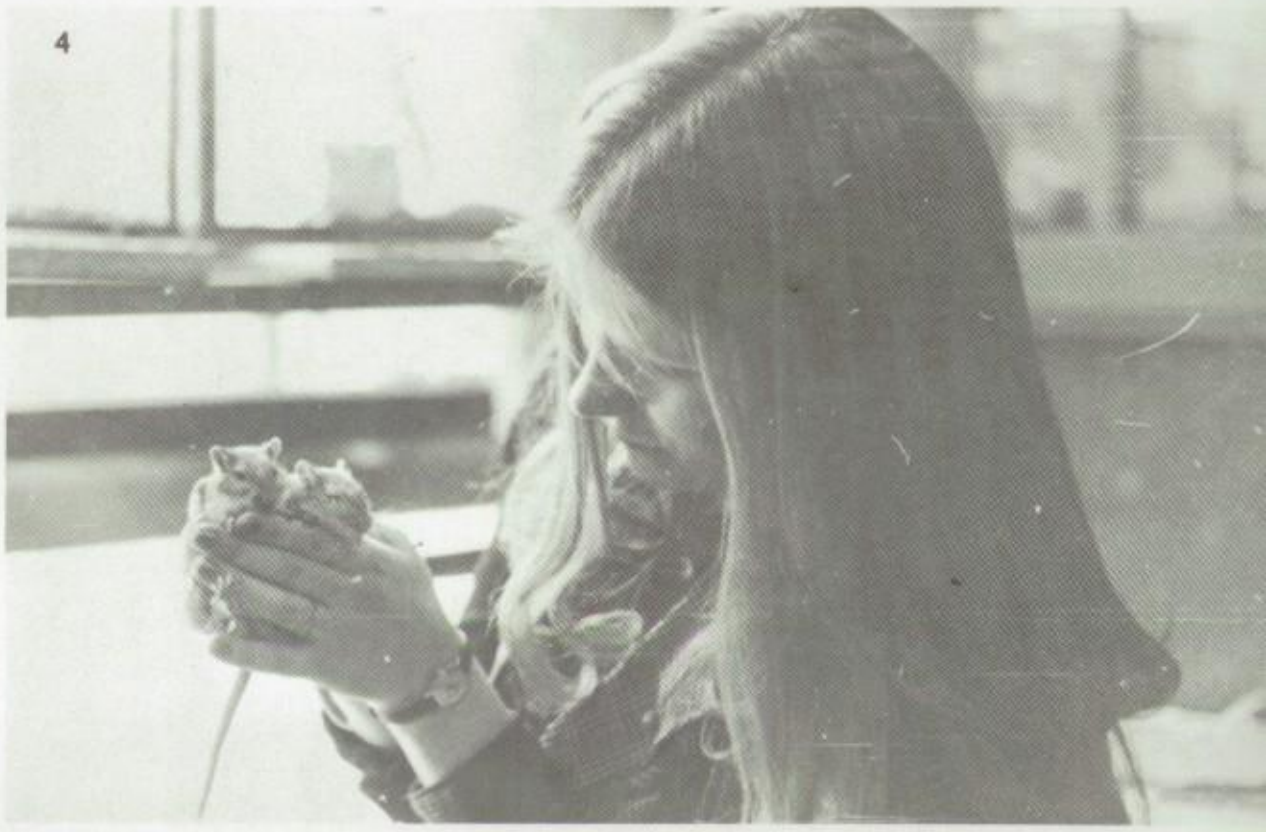
1. Señor Alvarez seems puzzled about a student's paper. 2. Miss Lewellen's class takes advantage of the MRC. 3. Two students get a laugh out of the assignment. 4. Careful concentration is the key to understanding as three Spanish students discover. 5. Lori Britton ponders over her translation. 6. Miss Lewellen gestures to get her point across.











1. Physics students, Bob Kleckner and Mark Hoffman listen intensely to figure out the given problem. 2. Greta Kesterson checks in on the plants in the biology greenhouse. 3. Mr. Geheb uses demonstrations to explain theories to students. 4. Taking a peek at the hamsters is Lori Campbell. 5. Biology teacher Mr. Hanna checks on a question that has been asked. 6. *"Darn!* What's the answer?" asks Mike Price while taking a test. 7. Brian Wingard and Steve Johns pause for a laugh while working on an assignment.

COMPREHENDING PERIODIC TABLES

Back in the Science wing, where many ideas were being created, the students of DCHS used their minds to comprehend what other great minds had already discovered. Teachers Charles Geheb, David Hanna, and Lindsey Hartshorn helped students learn just a few small parts of a great science.

Biological and physical studies are two aspects of the science conveyed by Mr. Hanna and Mr. Hartshorn, in biology and basic biology classes, and department head Mr. Geheb, in basic chemistry, chemistry, advanced chemistry, and physics. Many objects were used to help students understand the ideas behind science such as snakes, periodic tables, test tubes, guinea pigs, and microscopes.

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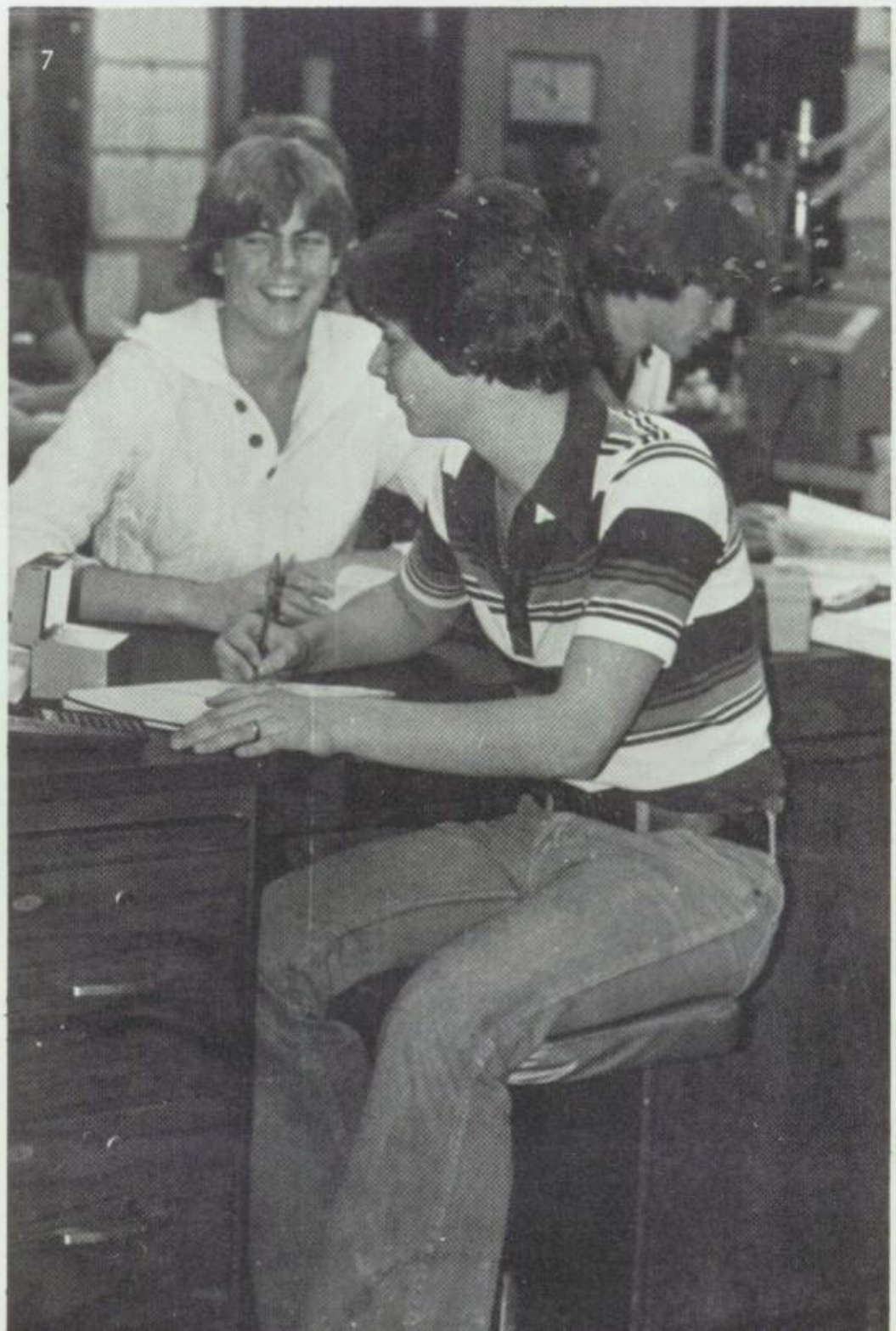

ONCE UPON A TIME . . .

If a student liked mathematics, there was a total of 17 hours a day one could choose from the variety of math classes offered at DCHS. The sounds heard coming from *G pod* told the story of Business Math, Algebra I, and all the way up to Calculas and Trigonometry. Of course every story needed a narrator and the tellers of these tales were all familiar faces around the corridors of DCHS.

There haven't been many new arrivals to the math pod, but most recent was Mr. Stuart Mathis. He finished his third year of instruction at Delphi and had become a regular fixture in the school. Mr. Robert Tyner, who taught Geometry and General Math was able to mix Business with pleasure by enthralling his students with re-caps of the latest ballgame.

Last, but certainly not least, was Mr. John Wilcox, affectionately known as *J.W.* As head of the math department, Mr. Wilcox handled all of the Algebra and advanced math courses and had many students for three of their four years in high school. He was often seen with a meter (not yard) stick in his possession. Although most girls were immune to the stick's wrath, the boys were a different story. It threatened many and admonished a few. By displaying the temperament of a curmudgeon, Mr. Wilcox was able to keep most students' overzealous energies at bay while he allowed his *naturally* warm personality to rise to the surface on special occasions. CsC

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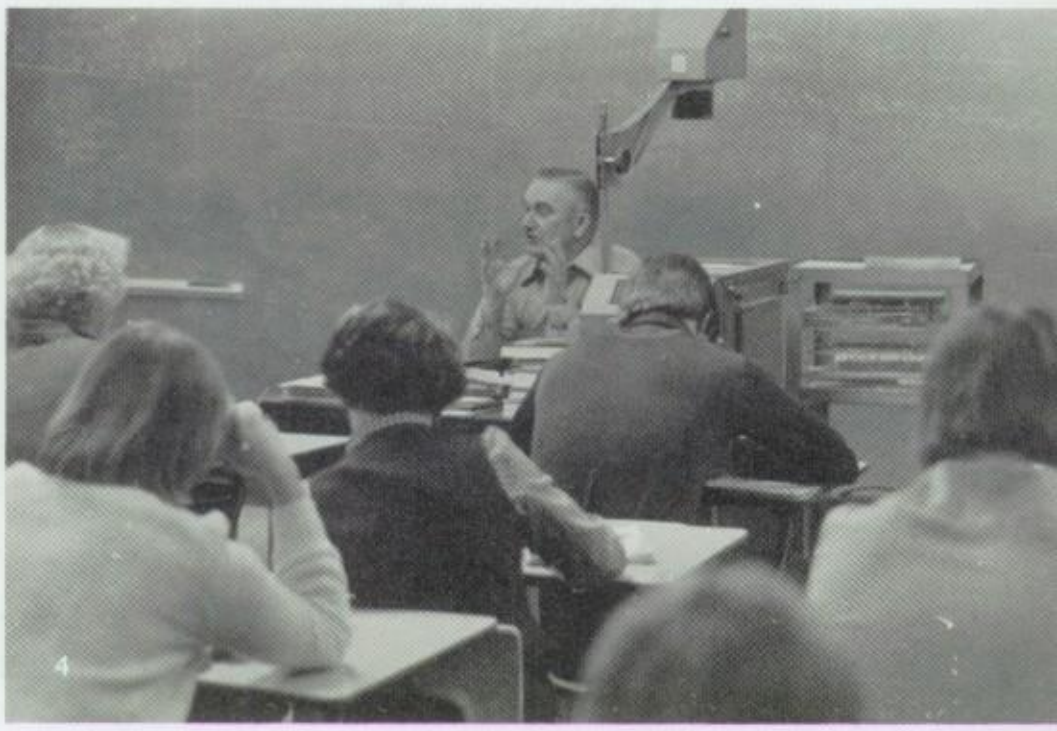
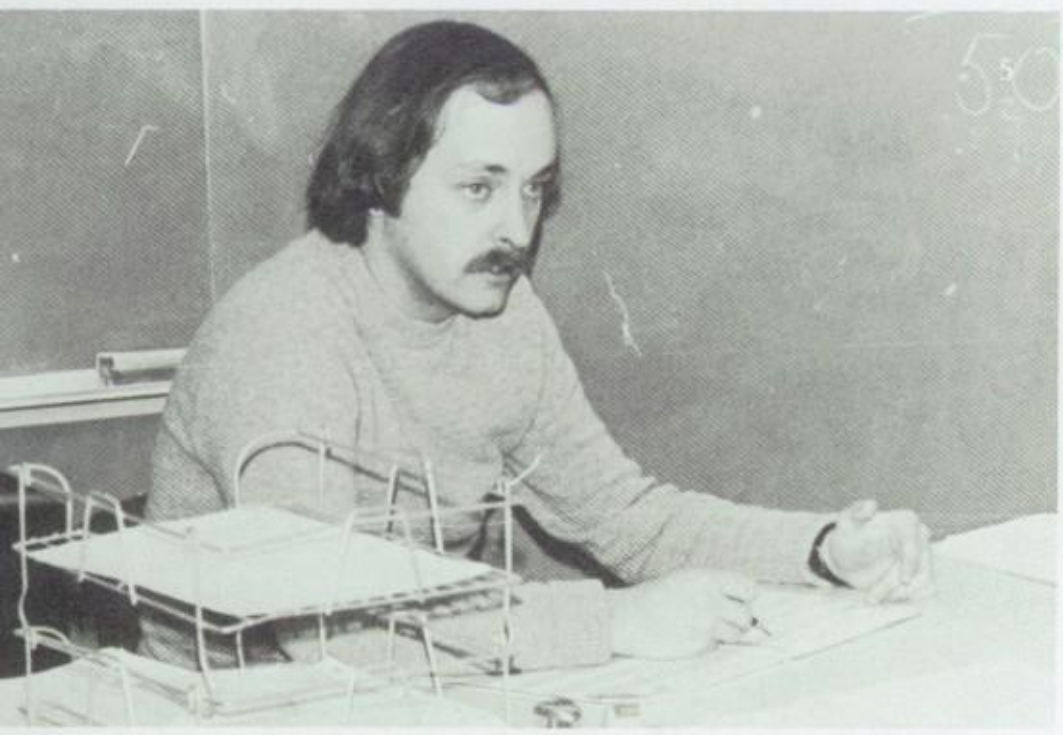
1. For students, like Rita Franek, the thought of any math leaves them numb with fear. 2. Inconspicuously mugging for the camera is Mr. Wilcox's Analytical Geometry class. 3. Caught trying to erase her mistakes is Jane Brown. 4. Mr. Wilcox goes through the motions of teaching Algebra I. 5. "Did you say *15?!*"





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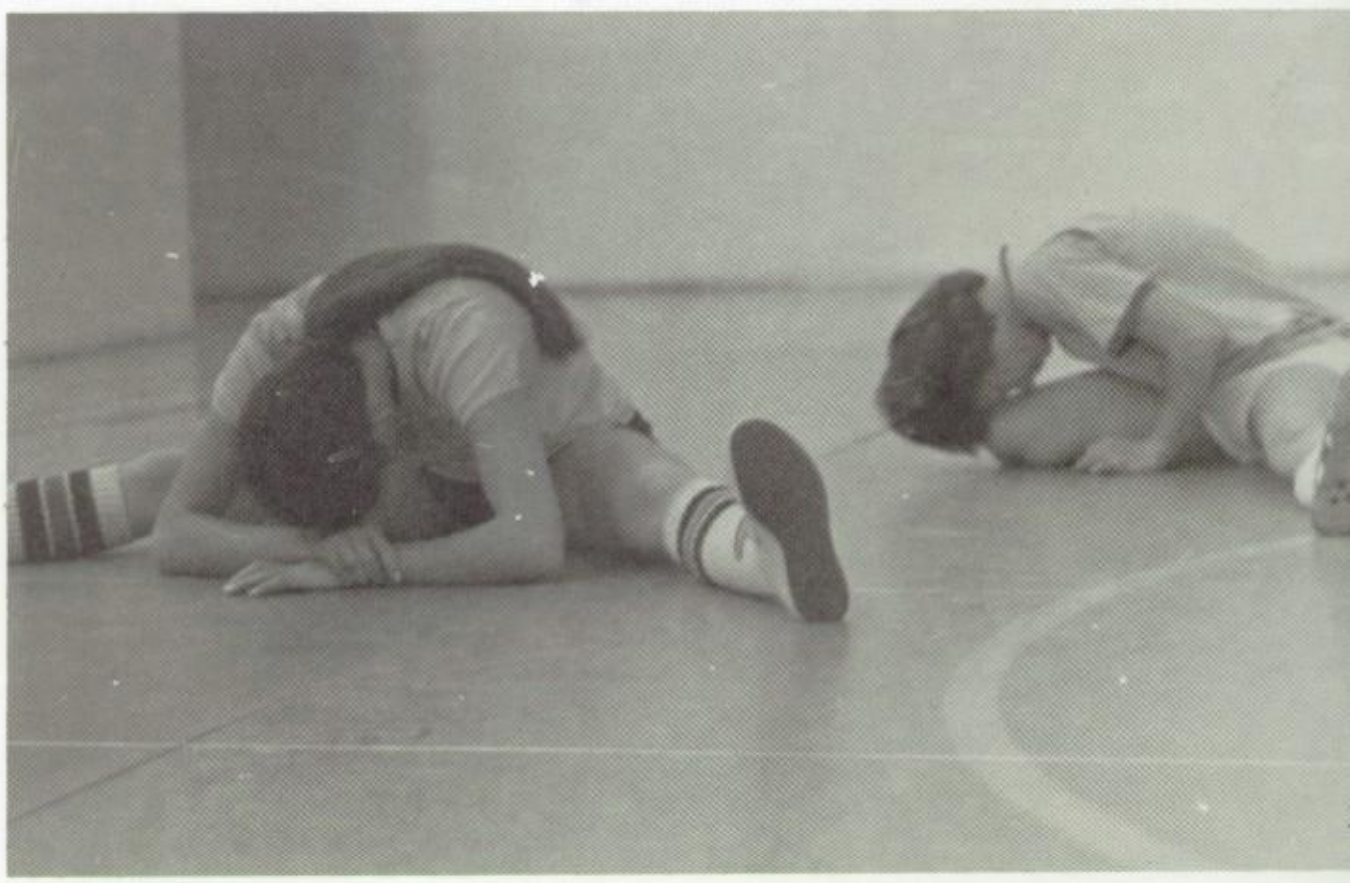


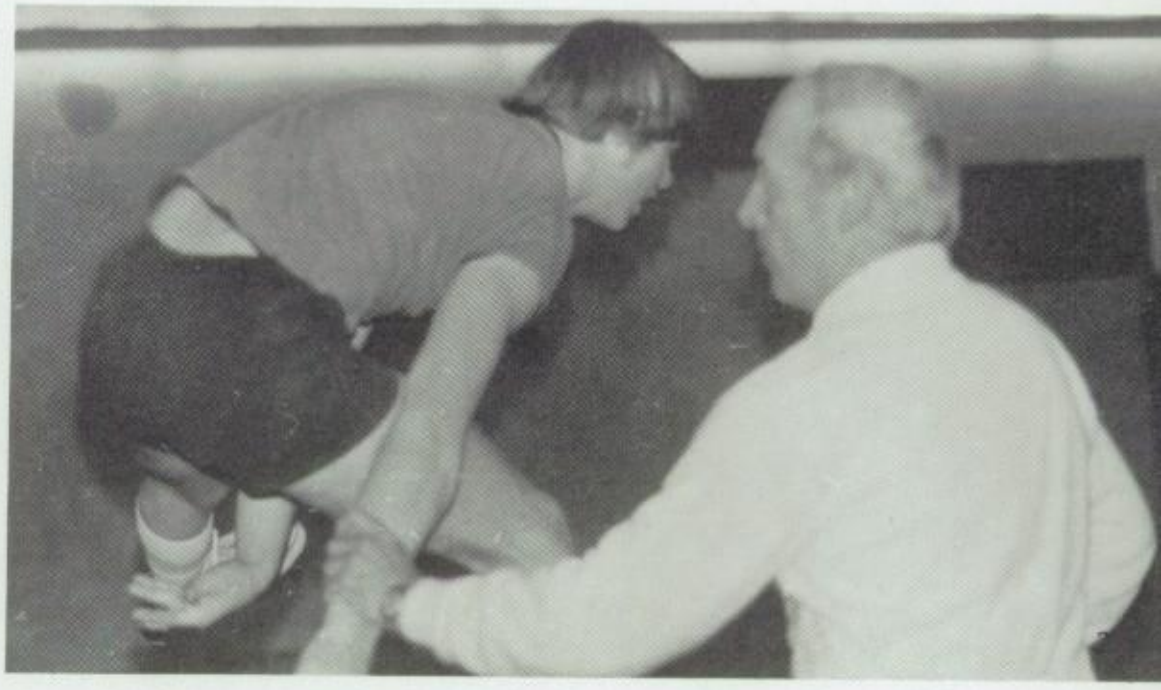
1. Head over heels in love with "Gym". 2. Sometimes things look better from a different angle. 3. Exercise is all part of the game. 4. Girls take time out from exercises to get involved in a game of innertube water polo.

1978-79 saw two new faces in the field of athletics. Miss Sally Knight brought new techniques to the girls P.E. classes from her New Hampshire home, and also engaged her skills in the coaching of the volleyball, freshmen basketball, and girls' track teams.

The pool area also donned a new supervisor, Mr. Robert Gordon, alias *Wally Walrus,* from Columbus, Ohio. He was the new head coach of the girls' and boys' swim teams.

The two new teachers were very pleased with their first year experiences and planned to continue on with their present endeavors. GMc

NEW FACES



1 There has got to be an easier way. 2. The finer points of saddling your horse. 3. Total concentration is applied in a volleyball game. 4. Anybody going my way. 5. I knew *Ostriches* had big eggs but this is *rediculous!*

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CLUNK . . .

. . . DING

VROOM . . .

Bang . . . Clunk . . . Ding . . . Vroom . . . these are certainly not sounds of just any area of school. They can be found in only one place of DCHS the Industrial Arts section! Disguised as a mild mannered part of school, this section fights a never ending battle to put cars back together, get power saws to work, and many other mechanical duties.

Under the leadership of men who may not be able to leap tall buildings in a single bound, but who are highly capable of guiding their students, Mr. John Beach, Mr. William Gray, and Mr. Tim Hammond teach their apprentices to use their hands as well as their minds. Next time you look on the west end of the building, be ready to see *not a man* with a big *S* on his chest, but the *students* and *faculty* of the Industrial Arts section of DCHS.

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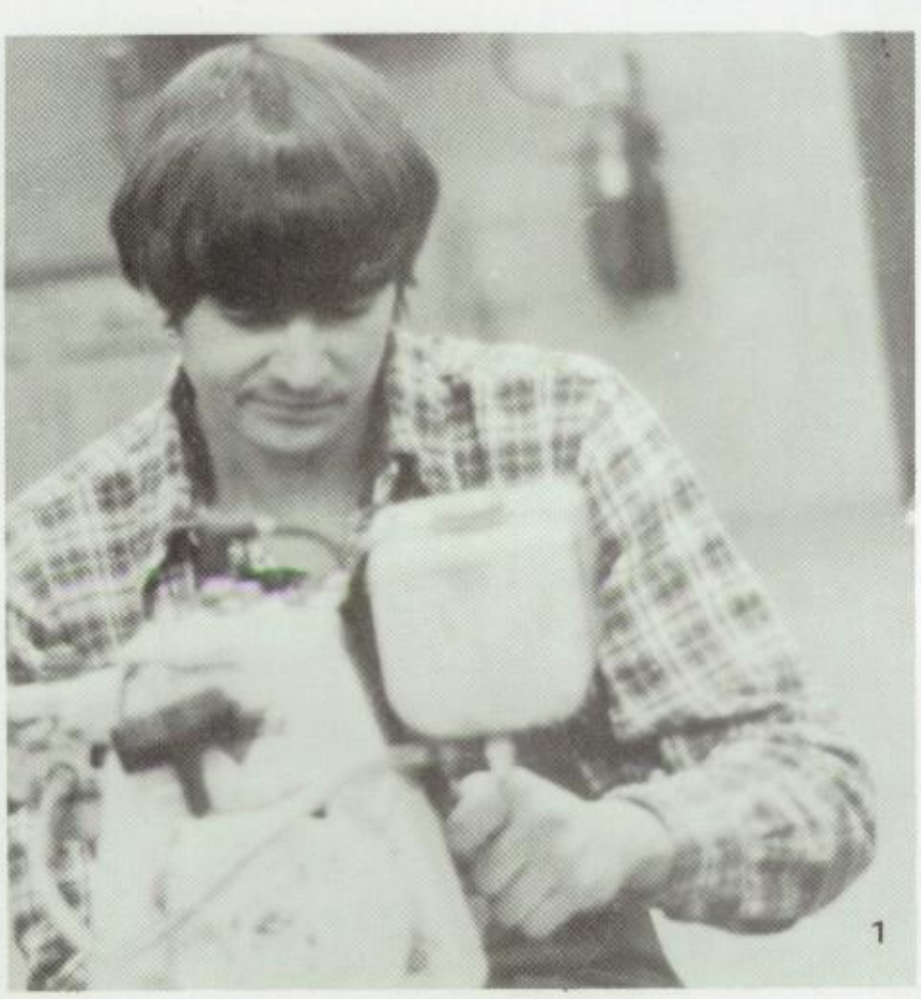
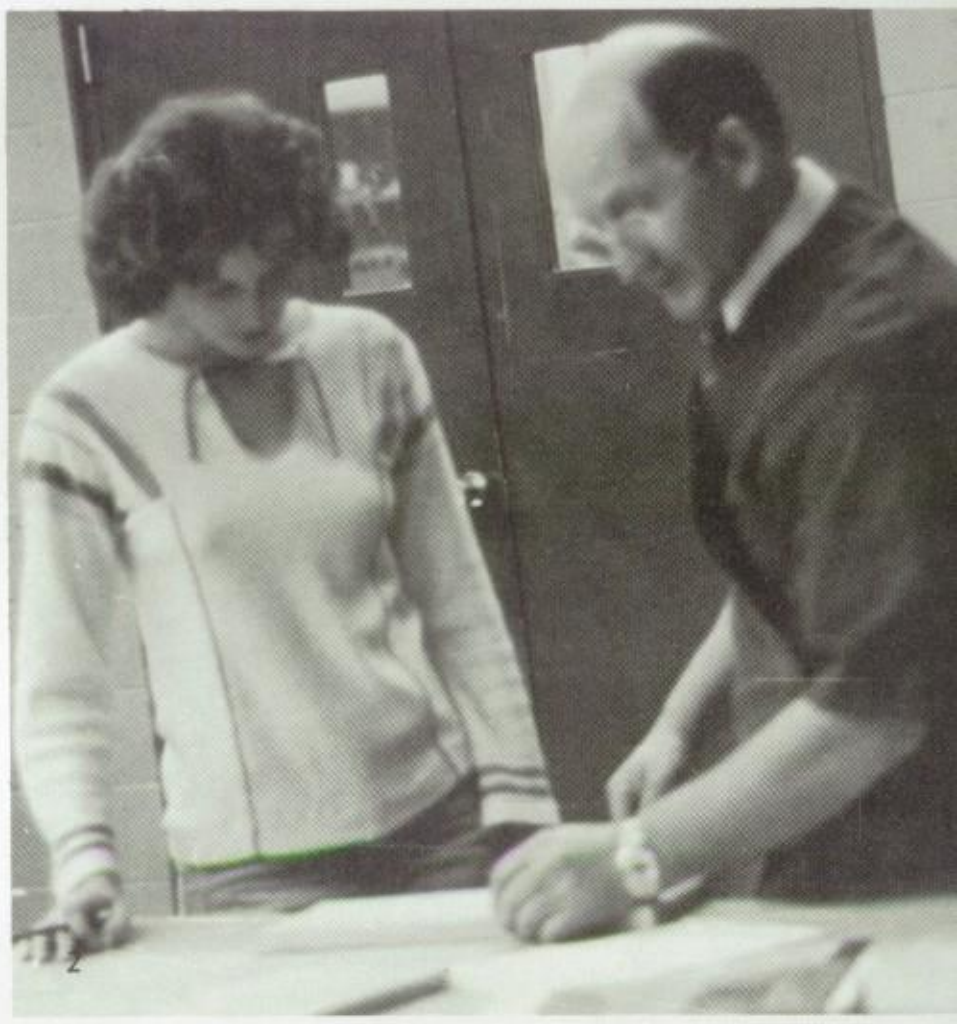
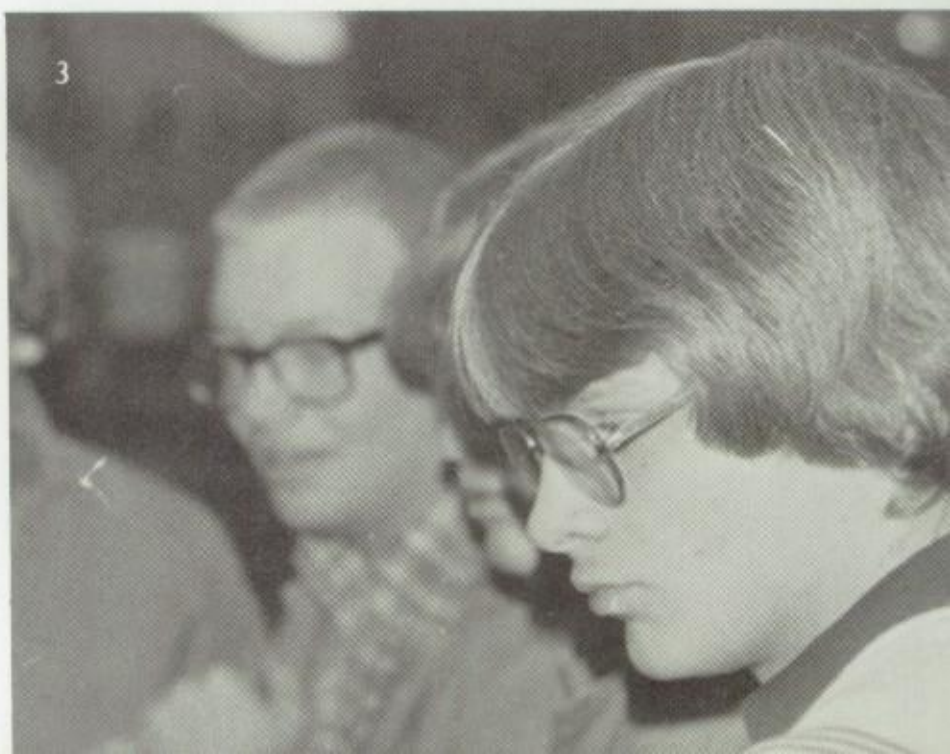
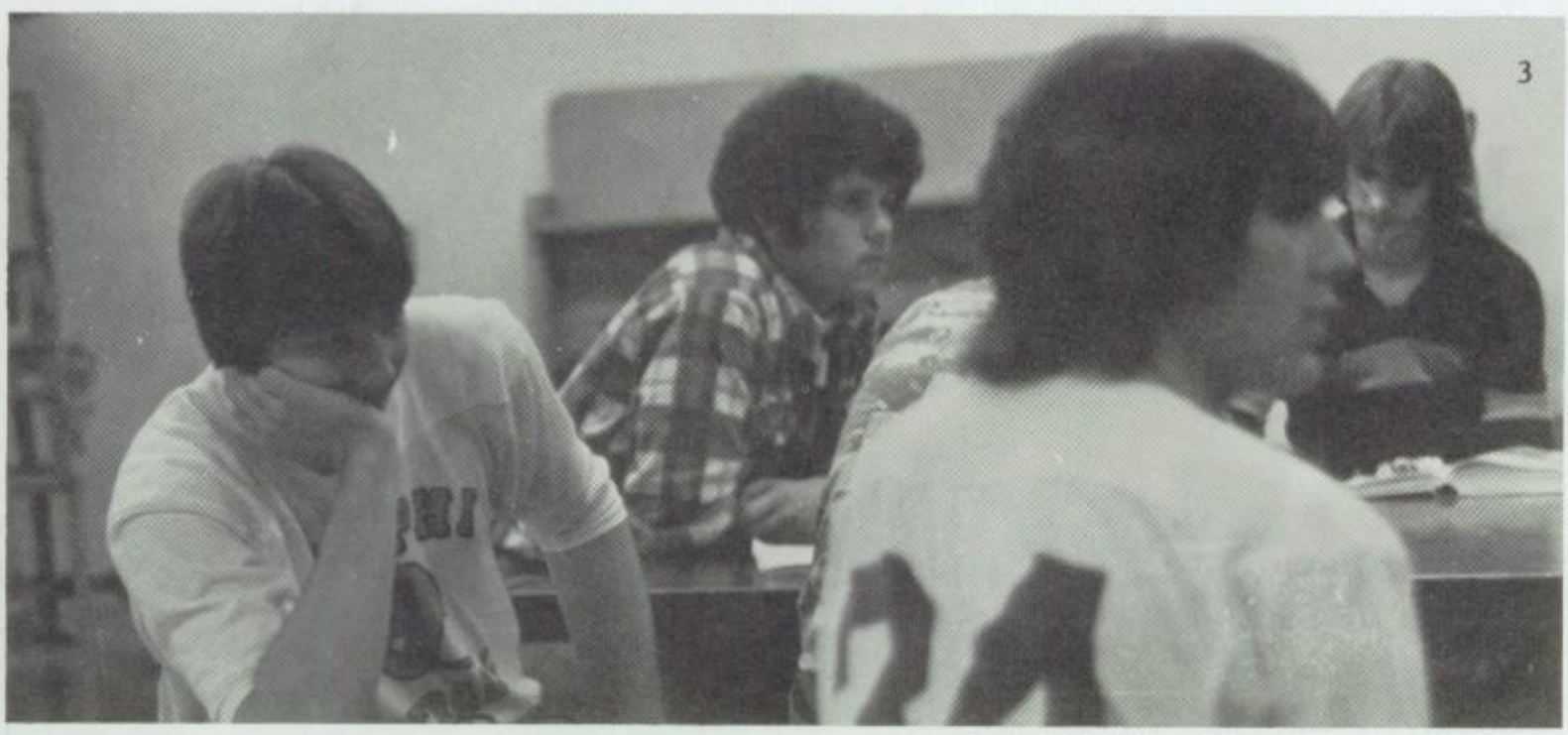






1. Dan Smith works on a motor in power class. 2. Mr. John Beach teaches attentive student Kathy Britton the fine art of woodworking. 3. Intrigued, Vic Summers studies a car engine while it is being worked on.



1. "This book can't be right *this* time," states Dean Donaldson with authority in woodworking class. 2. Rusty Tustin mixes cement to be used in the foundation for the new house constructed by the Building Trades classes across from the high school. 3. Seniors Jeff Nichols, Jim Garrison, and Randy Lake ponder on the comments of their instructor. 4. Fitting the pieces together isn't always as easy as it looks.

DRY BONES

"The head bone's connected to the neck bone, the neck bone's connected to the shoulder bone . . ." This isn't quite true, as health students discovered. There are actually 206 different bones in the body, plus many other facets.

The structure of the body and diseases were the main objects of study in Health classes. By learning these things, students would have an idea of what could go wrong with their bodies, why, and how to better deal with those problems.

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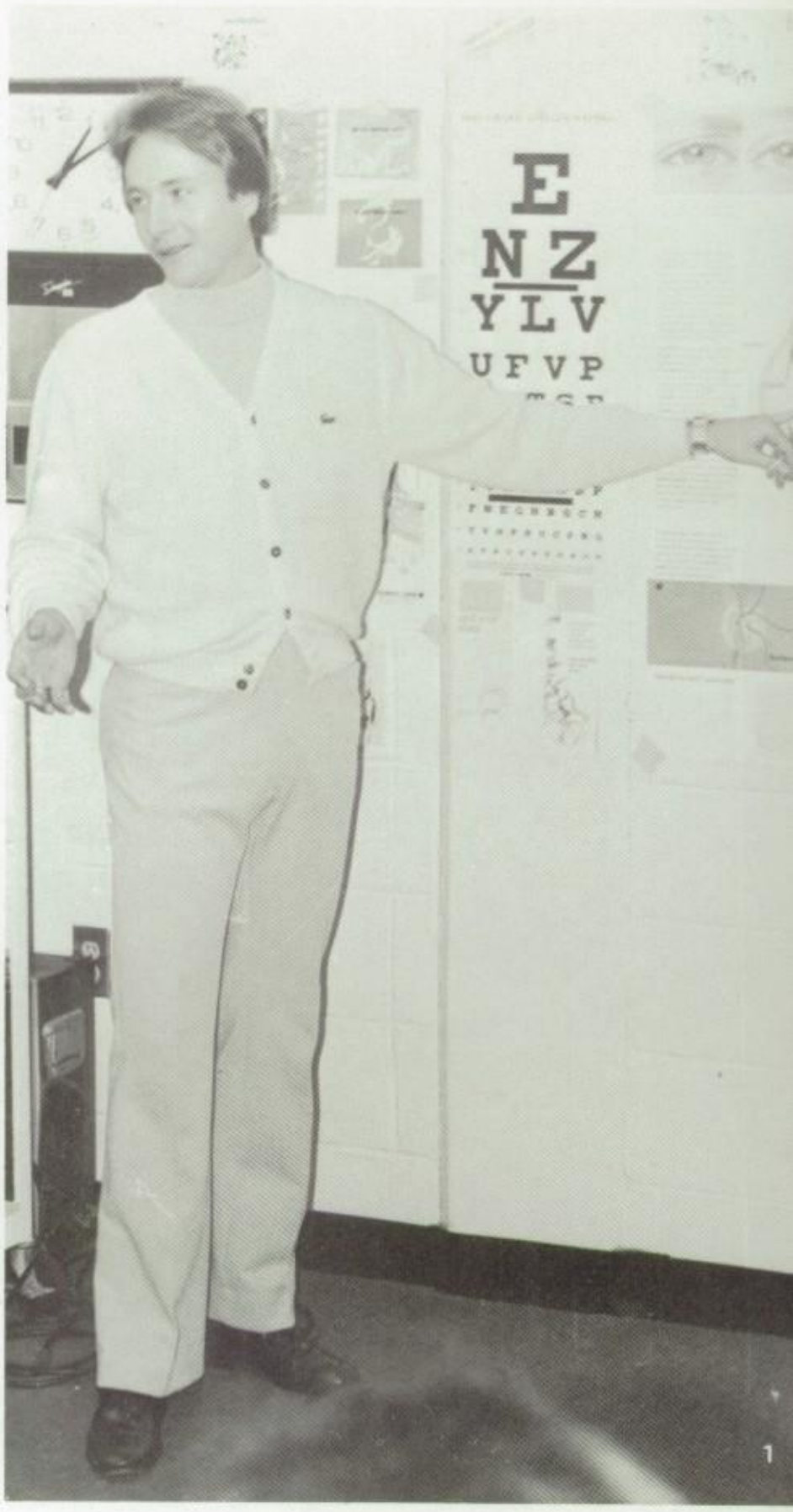

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1. "Eye" will show you how," says Mr. Parker. 2. One of the boys' Health classes studies for a test. 3. Susan Sturdivant, Kathy Britton Katrina Pearson, and Marcella VanSickle converse.

SLICK DRIVERS

First Semester Driver's Education students had it pretty easy, but those who started driving the second semester had the privilige of *dodging ice and snow* right away. Driver's Education didn't consist only of *driving* as the name implies. The requirements needed to pass the course consisted of thirty hours in the classroom learning rules of the road and six hours actually driving.

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1. Students answer questions about the rules of the road. 2. Mr Greg Parker explains his grading system to his class. 3. Different students assume *different* positions when sitting at their desks to answer the questions on a test.

STUDENTS KEEP BUSY

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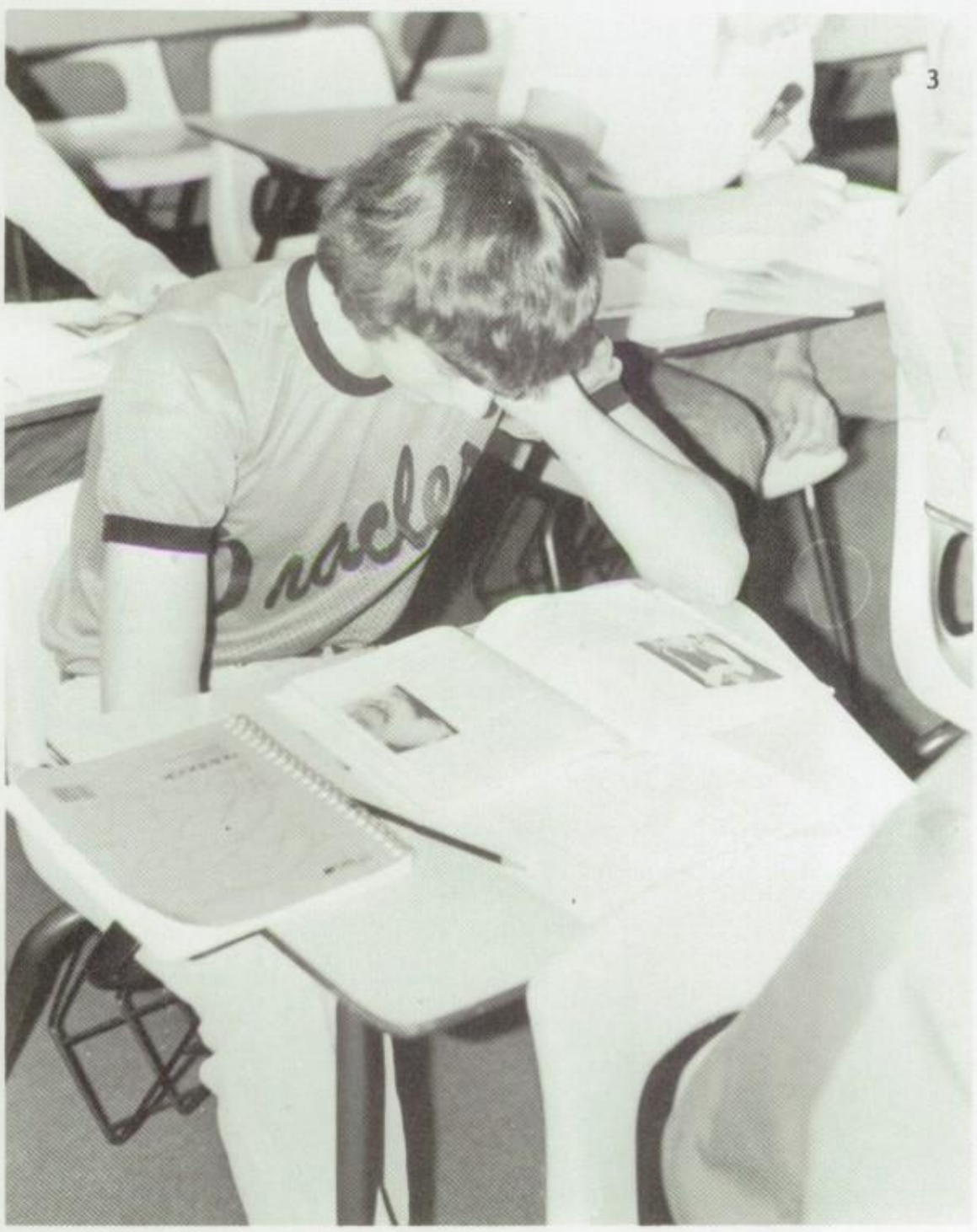

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There was a wide selection of English courses from which a student could choose from at DCHS.

Along with the study of good sentence structure and basic grammar, students were also able to learn about famous authors, stagecraft, humanities, and acting. Mrs. Laura Baker headed the English department.

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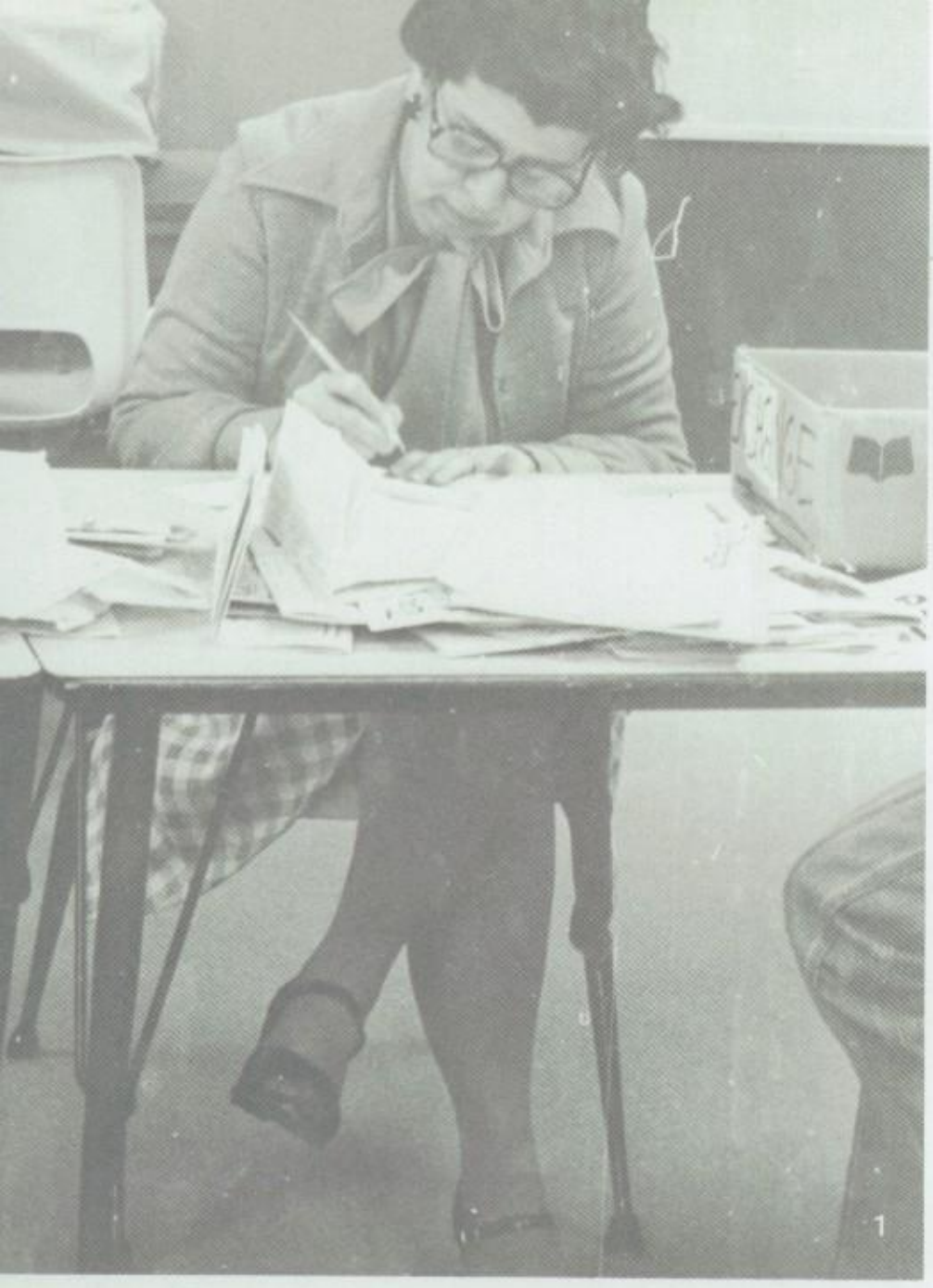
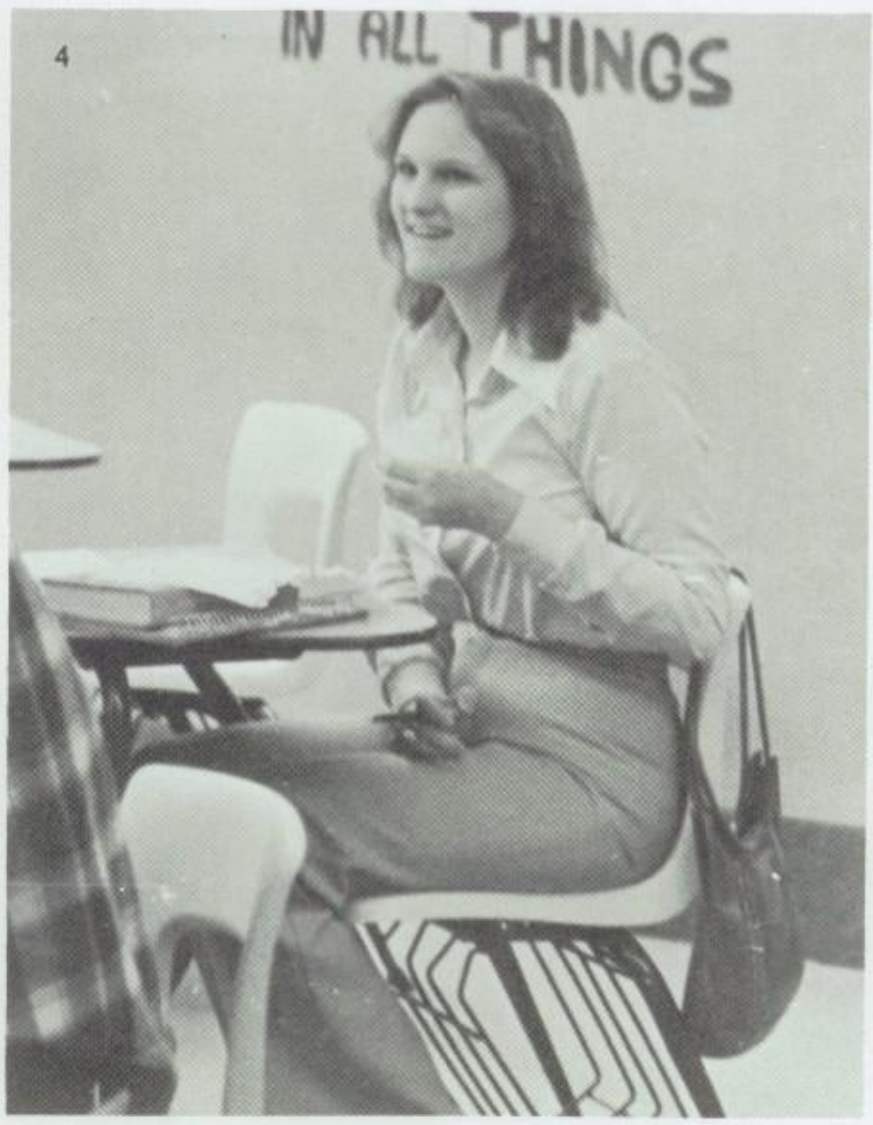
1. GVW students Paul Rider and Odetta Wheeler use their spare time to do homework. 2. Deann Syphers is caught looking elsewhere than in her classroom. 3. Lots of homework has Steve Hoffman's attention.



1. Checking papers over and over again is part of an English teacher's job, as Mrs. Alvarez well knows. 2. Sophomores are intrigued by a lecture in the English pod. 3. Eric Nelson finds himself lost in a book in Novels class. 4. Something amusing has Pam Dillman laughing.



Music is a fine art and at DCHS the music was *fine.* Band director Mr. Royce Armstrong, was at the Middle School during the mornings and afternoons were spent teaching the High School band. Either the music room was shrinking or the band was growing this year. To tell the truth, it was the latter. Many incoming freshmen arrived and the band membership grew.

Mr. Kevin Kayser, fresh out of college, gained his first year of teaching experience at DCHS. With three voice classes and a music fundementals class for seniors, he gained more than enough experience from students.

Even though the music room was off to a corner of the building, if one listened closely he might have heard the ringing of music through the halls during the day.

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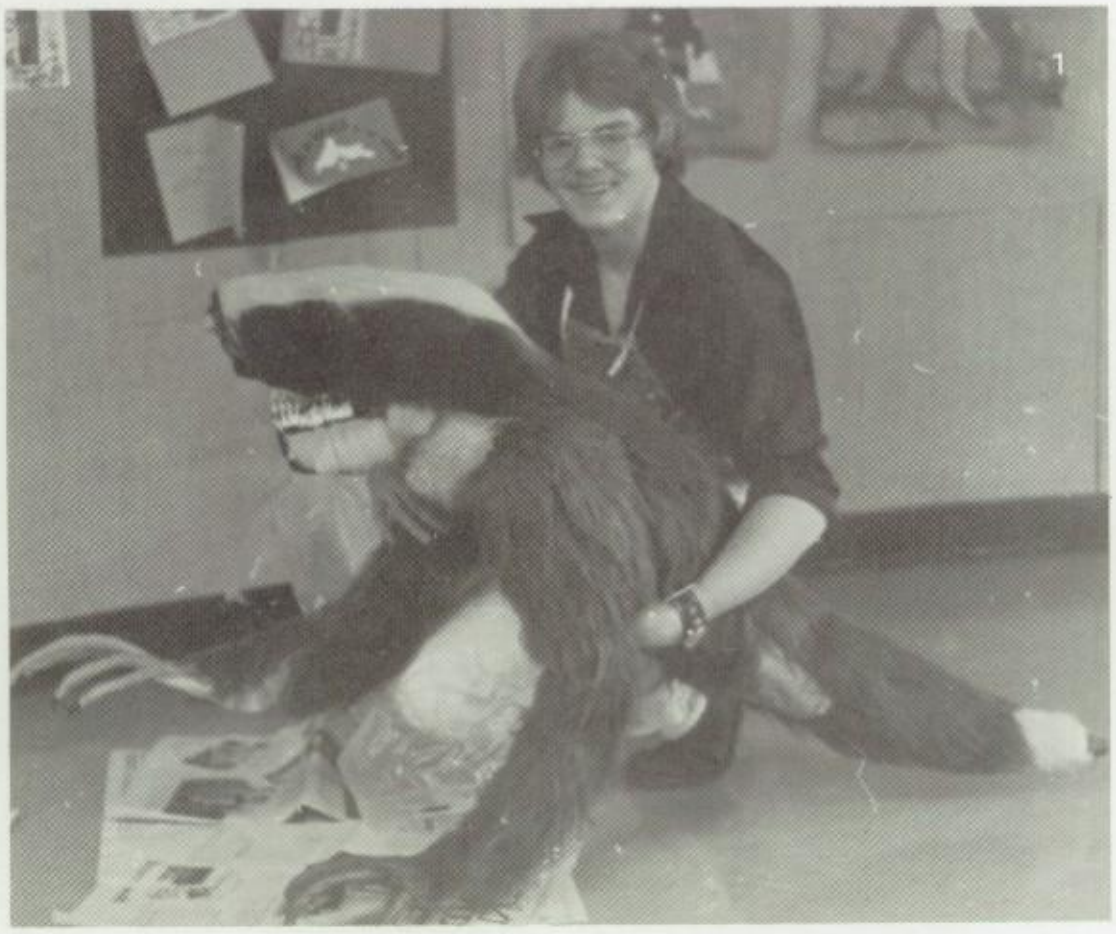
MUSIC ROOM SHRINKING?

1. Whistling a happy tune on her flute is Lori Sprague. 2. Mr. Kayser tries to explain a new subject to voice students. 3. Theory students discuss the fundamentals of music. 4. Ray Wilson looks over the Judge's score sheet from his contest solo. 5. Freshman Miriam Robeson learned that watching the music closely is very important in band. 6. The blasting sound of the trumpet is hard to perfect as first part players Barb Shanks, Tim Gray, and Bill Hefner have learned by practice.



THEY DO IT!

1. A realistic animal was constucted by advanced art student Edwin Perry. 2. Using all kinds and colors of yarn, Laurissa Cull weaves together a wall hanging. 3. Mr. Jack Sanders and Fred Jacobs discuss their veiws of art works on the bulletin board. 4. A group of Freshman "dig" right into clay sculpture.

Students looked forward each day to the ring of the bell that would signal them to one of their creative classes. Students laid down their books and used their own personal ideas and imagination to forge ahead. Here one learned to become an individualist, to express great freedom of thought and to express original ideas. In D-6, a student was taught how to use a pen, brush, and even a piece of clay to transform a mental image into a visual expression.

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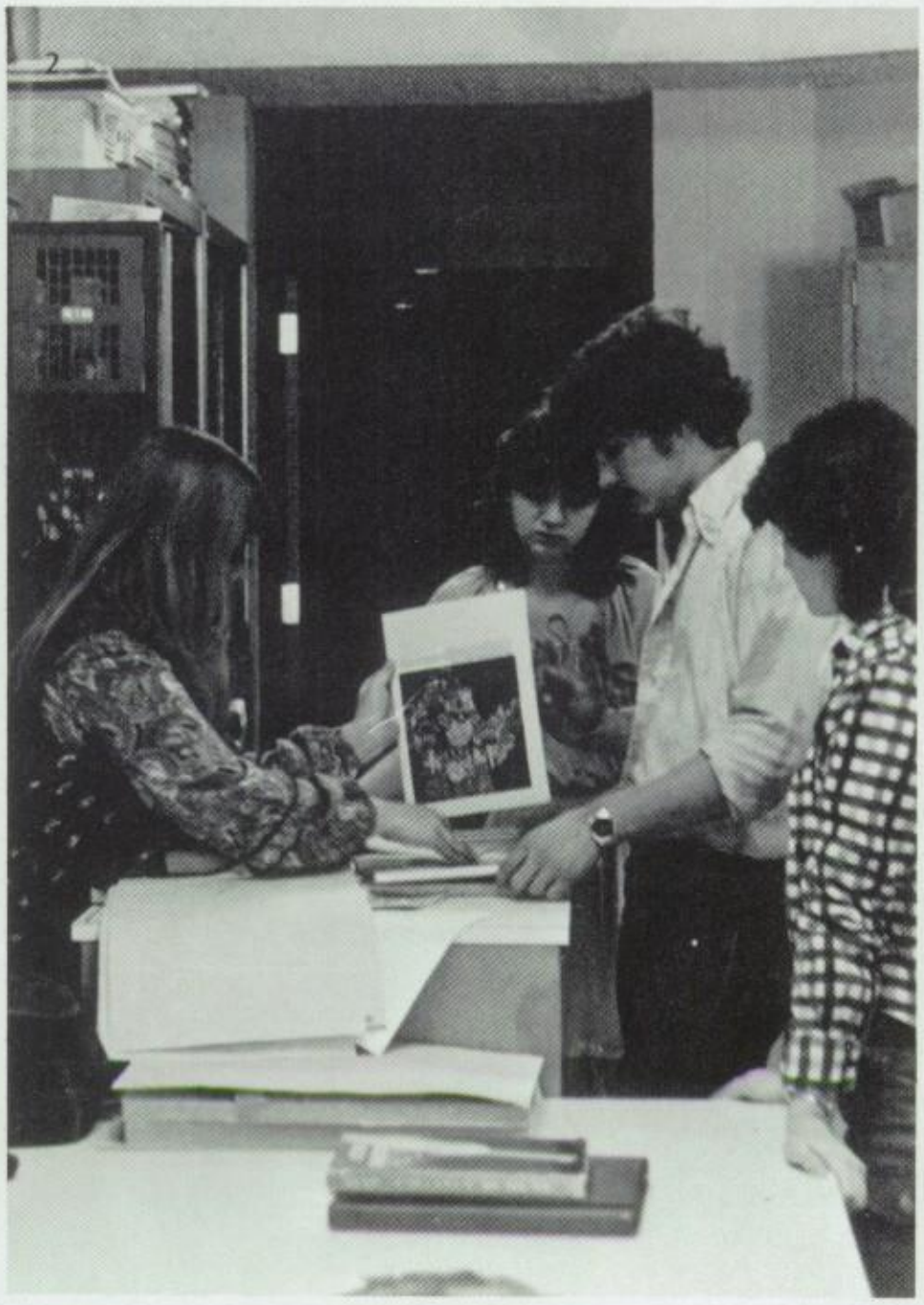

1. Third hour art student Nancy Ives works jubilantly on her assignment. 2. A picture is being shown by Ms. Julie Heiner to help students get a better idea of what their next assignment is about. 3. Patience and a steady hand work with Bernie Wallmann as he carefully applies paint to his masterpiece. 4. Pottery in all shapes, forms, and colors is being looked over by some of their creators; Hugh Clifford, Cindi Rishel, and Ray Wilson.

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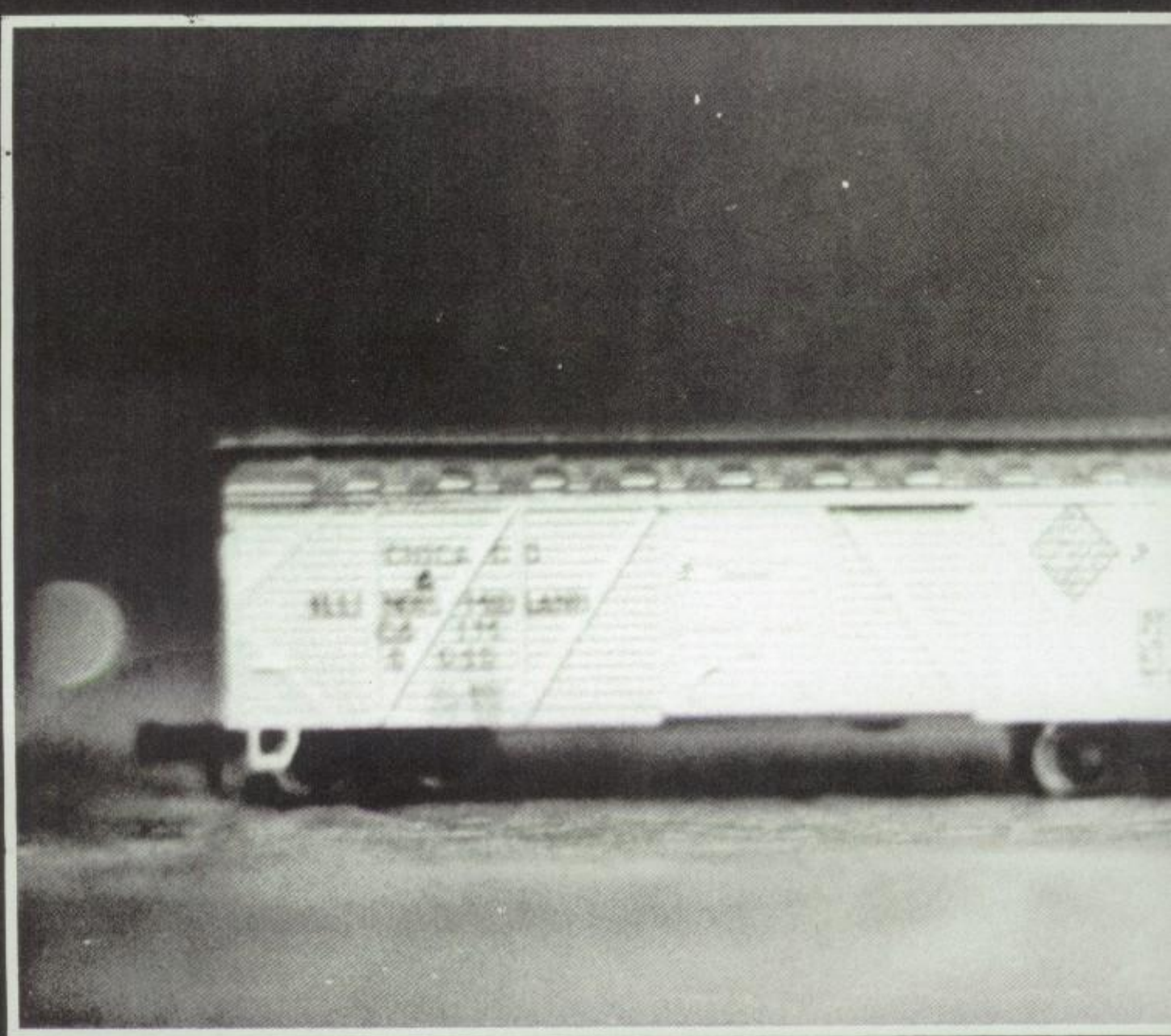

MAKING TRACKS

BOYS' FRESHMEN BASKETBALL

	O.	D.		O.	D.
Twin Lakes	47	38	Klondike	38	20
East Tipp.	48	32	Tecumseh	58	29
Clinton Prairie	42	43	Rossville	32	37
Laf. Catholic	35	27	Battle Ground	43	58
Carroll	61	37	Battle Ground		
Benton Central	52	38	Clinton Central	34	32
Tippecanoe	54	31	Sunnyside	60	44
West Laf.	60	44	Frontier	28	39
Tri-County	54	41			
Southwestern	40	34			

Season record: 4-13
Conference record: 1-9

BOYS' JR. VARSITY BASKETBALL

	Opp.	Delphi		Opp.	Delphi
Clinton Central	42	35	Fort Wayne S.	40	44
McCutcheon	54	50	Carroll	53	44
Frontier	48	47	Lewis Cass	50	43
Harrison	52	44	Twin Lakes	64	53
Northwestern	47	32	Pioneer	49	47
Clinton Prairie	45	52	Benton Central	44	43
North White	46	49	West Laf.	61	37
Rossville	33	52	Attica	45	48
Frankfort	54	37	Tri-County	59	47
Winamac	44	32	Laf. Catholic	46	38

Season record: 6-14
Conference record: 1-4

CROSS COUNTRY

	O.	D.
Northwestern Inv.		5th
Rossville	66	59
Pioneer	15	59
Tri-County	20	40
Twin Lakes	76	40
Laf. Catholic	26	32
Harrison Inv.		5th
Tri-County Inv.		4th
Logansport	42	45
Peru	33	45
McCutcheon	26	62
Southmont	43	62
Winamac	45	56
Lewis Cass	25	56
Harrison	19	53
Clinton Central	66	53
Twin Lakes Inv.		4th
C.I.C.		4th
Hoosier Conf.		4th

Season record: 39-46
Conference record: 2-1

VARSITY FOOTBALL

	Opp.	Delphi
Lewis Cass	14	35
Carroll	6	42
Culver Military	7	10
Benton Central	12	21
Laf. Catholic	6	21
McCutcheon	12	17
Fenton	20	14
Twin Lakes	7	17
Harrison	10	8
West Laf.	14	19

Season record: 8-2
Conference record: 4-1

GIRLS' VARSITY BASKETBALL

	Opp.	Delphi
Laf. Jeff	41	46
Laf. Catholic	23	59
West Laf.	18	47
McCutcheon	44	42
Rossville	28	49
Lewis Cass	34	33
Benton Central	50	31
Twin Lakes	40	39
Logansport	38	60
Western	0	2
Carroll	54	51
Tri-County	25	47
Harrison	0	2

Season record: 9-6
Conference record: 2-3

BOYS' SWIMMING

	O.	D.		O.	D.
Harrison	113	69	Rennselear	110	60
Southmont	122	46	Carroll	55	111
West Laf.	122	35	Maconaquah	90	73
Western	104	58	Lewis Cass	84	78
S. Newton	24	57	Hoosier Conf.		4th
Western Inv.		4th	Twin Lakes	82	87
McCutcheon	110	60	Carroll Inv.		3th
Benton Cen.	90	79			

Season record: 3-9
Conference record: 1-4

FRESHMEN FOOTBALL

	Opp.	Delphi
Twin Lakes	6	6
Logansport	41	0
Southwestern	28	6
Klondike	28	0
Wainwright	18	6
Battle Ground	14	32
East Tipp	14	32
Lewis Cass	32	0

Season record: 2-6-1
Conference record: 0-0-1

WRESTLING

	Opp.	Delphi
Harrison	37	30
Carroll	23	51
Lewis Cass	12	56
Tri-County	66	69
Calumet Inv.		7th
Clinton Central	21	39
Benton Central	25	36
Tipton Inv.		8th
Hoosier Conf.		4th
Sectional		3rd

Season record: 5-1
Conference record: 1-1

FRESHMEN VOLLEYBALL

	Opp.	Delphi
Tippecanoe	L	W
Tecumseh	W	L
Southwestern	L	W
Klondike	L	W
Wainwright	L	W
Laf. Catholic	L	W
Battle Ground	L	W
East Tipp.	W	L
West Laf.	W	L

Season record: 6-3
Conference record: 6-3

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JR. VARSITY VOLLEYBALL

	Opp.	Delphi
Tri-County	L	W
McCutcheon	W	L
Clinton Prairie	W	L
North White	W	L
Harrison	W	L
Benton Central	L	W
Twin Lakes	W	L
Laf. Catholic	W	L
Logansport	W	L
Frankfort	L	W
West Laf.	W	L
Rossville	W	L
Carroll	W	L

Season record: 3-10
Conference record: 1-4

GIRLS' JV BASKETBALL

	O.	D.
Laf. Jeff	23	31
Laf. Catholic	5	33
West Laf.	13	20
McCutcheon	6	14
Rossville	12	21
Lewis Cass	21	22
Benton Central	18	28
Twin Lakes	22	21
Logansport	18	25
Carroll	22	23
Tri-County	14	34
Harrison	0	2
Season record:	11-1	
Conf. record:	4-1	

FRESHMEN TEAM

Benton Central	6	34
Southwestern	12	38
Tecumseh	12	23
Sunnyside	24	37
Season record:	4-0	
Conf. record:	4-0	

BOYS' TENNIS

	Opp.	Delphi		Opp.	Delphi
Laf. Catholic	3	2	Frankfort	5	0
McCutcheon	4	1	Twin Lakes	5	0
Twin Lakes	3	2	Harrison	2	3
Carroll	0	5	West Laf.	5	0
Maconaquah	1	4	Benton Central	1	4
Taylor	3	2	Carroll	0	5

Season record: 5-7
Conference record: 2-3

BOYS' VARSITY BASKETBALL

	Opp.	Delphi		Opp.	Delphi
Clinton Central	70	71	Fort Wayne S.	92	56
McCutcheon	58	62	Carroll	57	55
Frontier	46	71	Lewis Cass	61	59
Harrison	58	44	Twin Lakes	45	47
Northwestern	61	57	Pioneer	52	59
Clinton Prairie	65	60	Benton Central	56	57
North White	51	65	West Laf.	70	50
Rossville	55	65	Attica	50	52
Frankfort	83	56	Tri-County	33	42
Winamac	53	43	Laf. Catholic	63	58

Season record: 10-10
Conference record: 3-5

JR. VARSITY FOOTBALL

	Opp.	Delphi
Harrison	23	0
Benton Central	6	14
Carroll	8	14
Frontier	0	14
Lewis Cass	12	0
Laf. Catholic	6	0
Twin Lakes	20	12
McCutcheon	42	12

Season record: 3-5
Conference record: 4-1

VARSITY VOLLEYBALL

	Opp.	Delphi
Tri-County	L	W
McCutcheon	W	L
Clinton Prairie	W	L
North White	W	L
Harrison	W	L
Benton Central	L	W
Twin Lakes	W	L
Laf. Catholic	W	L
Logansport	L	W
Frankfort	W	L
West Laf.	W	L
Rossville	L	W
Carroll	L	W

Season record: 5-8
Conference record: 1-4

GIRLS' GOLF

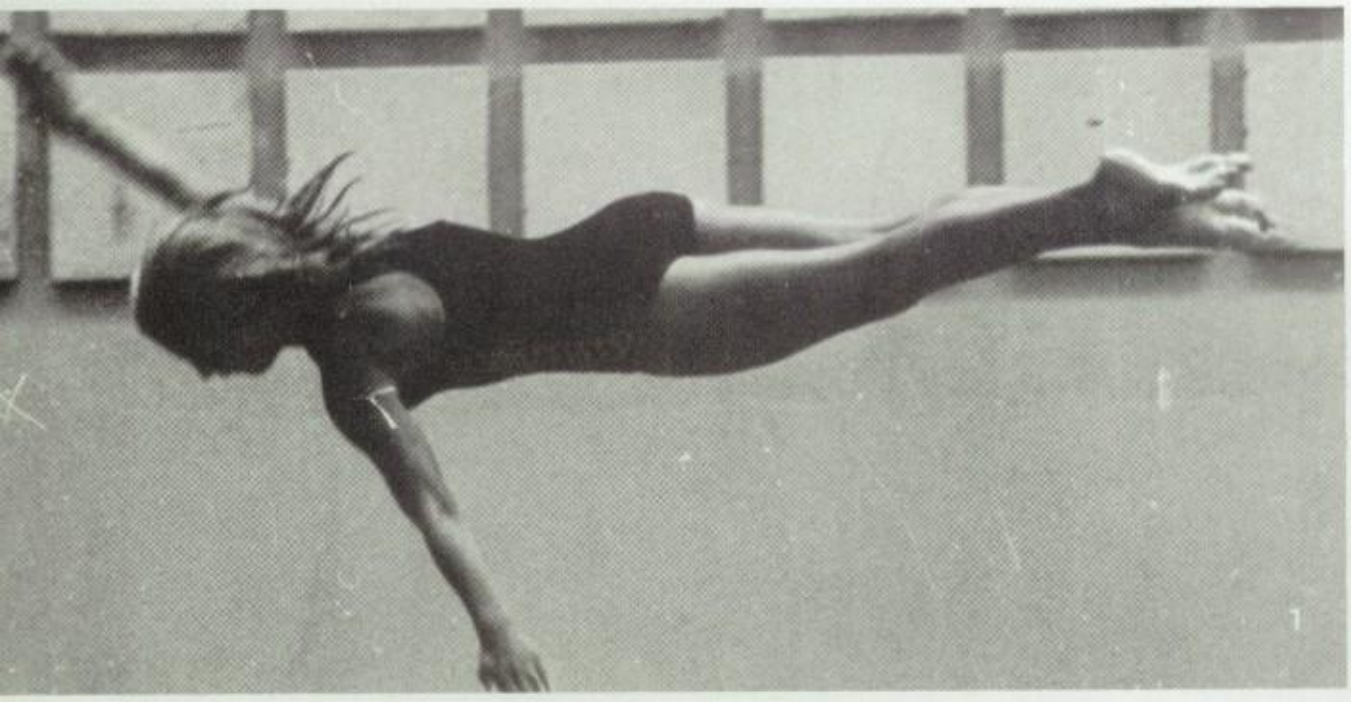
	Opp.	Delphi
Benton Central	229	223
South Newton	289	212
Laf. Jeff	355	418
West Laf.	404	413
Harrison	221	206
South Newton	234	203
Twin Lakes	211	203
Hoosier Conf.		2nd
Harrison	238	203
Twin Lakes	269	207
Northwestern	215	206
McCutcheon	227	202
Sectional		4th

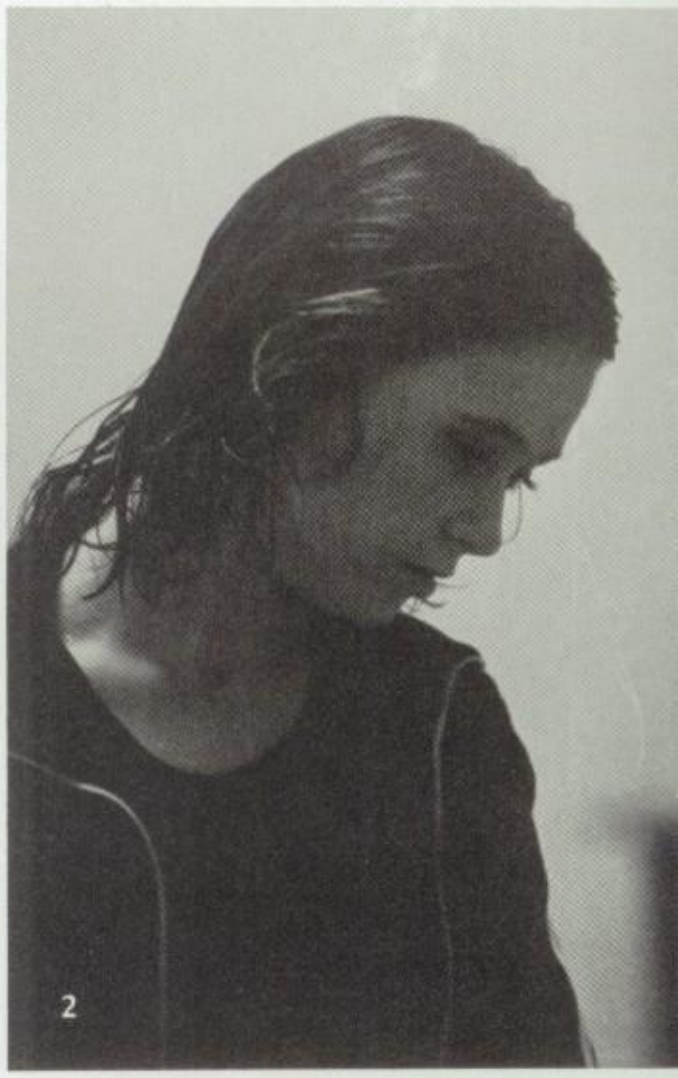
Season record: 9-2
Conference record: 6-1

GIRLS' SWIMMING

	Opp.	Delphi		Opp.	Delphi
Western Boone	139	39	Carroll	73	97
Laf. Catholic	106	71	West Laf.	129	39
Culver Military	116	56	Harrison	127	43
Lewis Cass	94	77	Hoosier Conf.		6th
Frankfort	105	65	Logansport	116	50
Maconaquah	92	03	Clinton Central	79	90
Benton Central	110	61	Twin Lakes	124	54
McCutcheon	104	66	Season record:	3-14	

Conference record: 0-5





DOLPHINETTES SAVE BEST FOR LAST

Swimming is one of the very popular activities of DCHS 1. It's a bird! It's a plane! No, it's *Super Holly!* 2. Lisa Goad, senior captain, reminisces about her swimming career.

The 1978 girls' swim season ended in style. Sectional was tough, but as the saying goes, *"the tough got going."* The young women of DCHS had an emotional year depending on the success of the meet, but the mood was just right for the *final* showdown. Times dropped. School and personal records vanished when new ones were set. Everyone was very proud of the team that Coaches Gordon and Alvarez, and senior captain Lisa Goad, had created.

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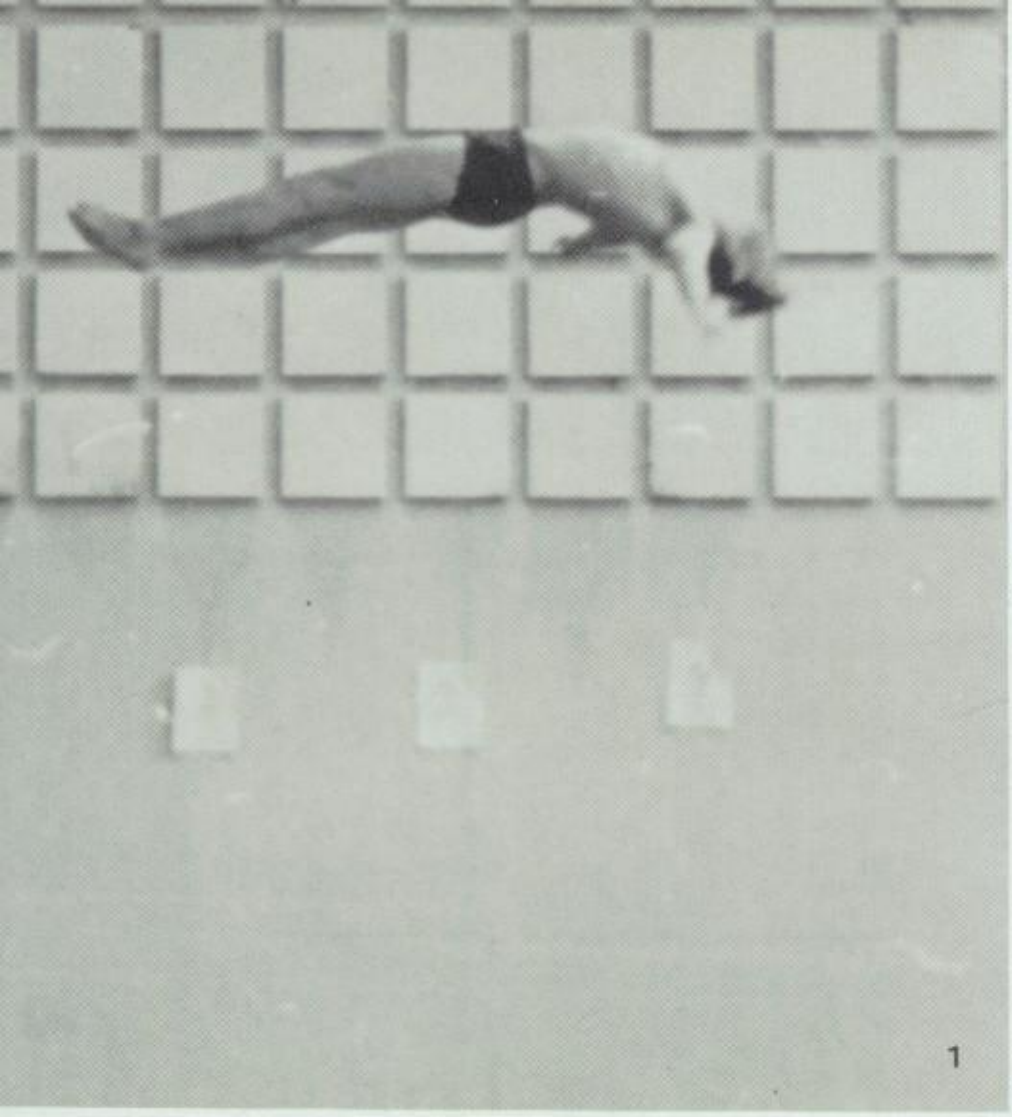
GIRLS SWIM TEAM. Row 1: Manager K. Hensley, S. Sullivan, D. Fansler, H. Kendall, K. Fansler, Coach Alvarez. *Row 2:* A. Barnett, J. Draper, T. Schock, K. Conner, J. Brown, S. Clifford, K. Noble, Coach Gordon. *Row 3:* T. Rhine, S. Storey, M. Wilmot, S. Frost, T. Miller, D. Zolper, T. Wagner, L. Goad.

AQUA EXCITEMENT



1. Gary McLemore shows poetry in motion. 2. Before you walk you have to learn to fly. 3. *Abe* and *Wally* go over future lineups. 4. *Row 1.* Matt Minnix, Todd Hoshaw, Ron Warren, Matt Zook, Gary Fuller, Ron Ginn, Matt Benner, Coach Robert Gordon. *Row 2.* Mark Peterson, Tim Garth, Tim Gray, Gary McLemore, Chuck Petry, Brian Burton, Phillip Brown, Scott Wagoner.

The pool got a new face lift in 1978-79 as mentor Robert Gordon joined the staff. "You have to want to do it," was the theory of the rookie teacher heard early in the season. Gordon took *his own advice* and made the season interesting. He instilled each swimmer with personal goals before each meet and often in practice. Rewards were given for accomplishments of those quests in the form of *Marathon* bars and steaks after almost every meet. As a result swimmers' times frequently dropped and divers' scores rose as the record changed. GMc

HARRIERS FINISH WELL

This year, cross country had its ups and downs in more ways than one. During the season, the harriers had many disappointing triangular meets in which they finished second. Determination kept the squad going through the pre-season practices of long, grueling roadwork and staggering sprints. Coach Jim Crist made the team realize that this hard work was needed to build their endurance for the long races. The team finished fourth in the Hoosier Conference and tenth in the Delphi Invitational. Max Victor and Brian Fogarsi were named All-Conference after placing eighth and ninth respectively. Overall, the harriers ran with pride and ability as a team.

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1. Max Victor streaks across the finish line. 2. The pain and agony shows on Kevin Hathaway's face. 3. *CROSS COUNTRY. Row 1:* B. Leinberger, J.D. Young, K. Hathaway, M. Strasser. *Row 2:* J. Kennedy, R. Strasser, B. Floyd, M. Victor, B. Fogarsi, D. Donaldson, D. Mullin, Coach Crist.

Do you know what a hydroculator is . . . what the purpose of an examining table is . . . or what a mini-gym leaper and an universal gym are? If so, you were probably active in the training and weight rooms.

The training room is for treatment and prevention of injuries. The most common casualty was the ankle injury. The room was well supplied and had superior facilities.

The weight room is open to all individuals with a desire to build their strength, but was also used for rehabilitation. Athletic trainer Hartshorn noted that the swimming teams were the most active in using the weight room during their regular season.

Mr. Lindsey Hartshorn is a Certified Athletic Trainer, with four years of Undergraduate School in Physical Education — Sports Medicine Corricular and has his Masters Degree in Sports Medicine.

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1. Trainer Lindsey Hartshorn, with sure hands and an understanding of the problem, tends the injury of Troy Schrader. 2. The whirlpool proves relaxing and beneficial to the tired and aching muscles of Kirk Burge. 3. With diligence and dedication, Nancy Brooks works out on one of the many pieces of equipment available in the Weight Room.

ATHLETES USE MINI-GYM LEAPER & HYDROCULATOR

ORACLES CONFERENCE CHAMPS AGAIN

After last year's 10-1 season, district and conference champs, what could the mighty Oracles do for an encore? Even after losing many key lettermen, the gridmen rebuilt and surprised everyone by repeating their title as Hoosier Conference champions with an 8-2 record.

Under Indiana's *winningest* active coach, Tony Berto, the squad erased their uncertainty with confidence by pounding Lewis Cass 35-14, and Carroll 42-6. For Oracle fans, the smell of the playoffs was in the air again. Culver Military Academy gave the Oracles a run for their money, but Culver came up short 10-7. Benton Central, Central Catholic, and McCutcheon all fell on the gridiron increasing the squads record to 6-0. The team ventured to Fenton, Illinois to meet a AAA power. The fourth ranked Oracles were defeated 20-14. Homecoming lifted the players' spirits as they upended Twin Lakes 17-7. Another large team, Harrison, used their size to upset DCHS 10-8 in a hard fought contest. With playoff hopes dashed, all that was left in the team's mind was the conference championship game with West Lafayette. The squad played their hearts out even when they were behind. A kickoff return, plus a fired-up defense, led the Oracles to a 19-14 victory.

The 1978 Delphi Oracle football team may not have made the playoffs, but they gave the school and community another fine season.

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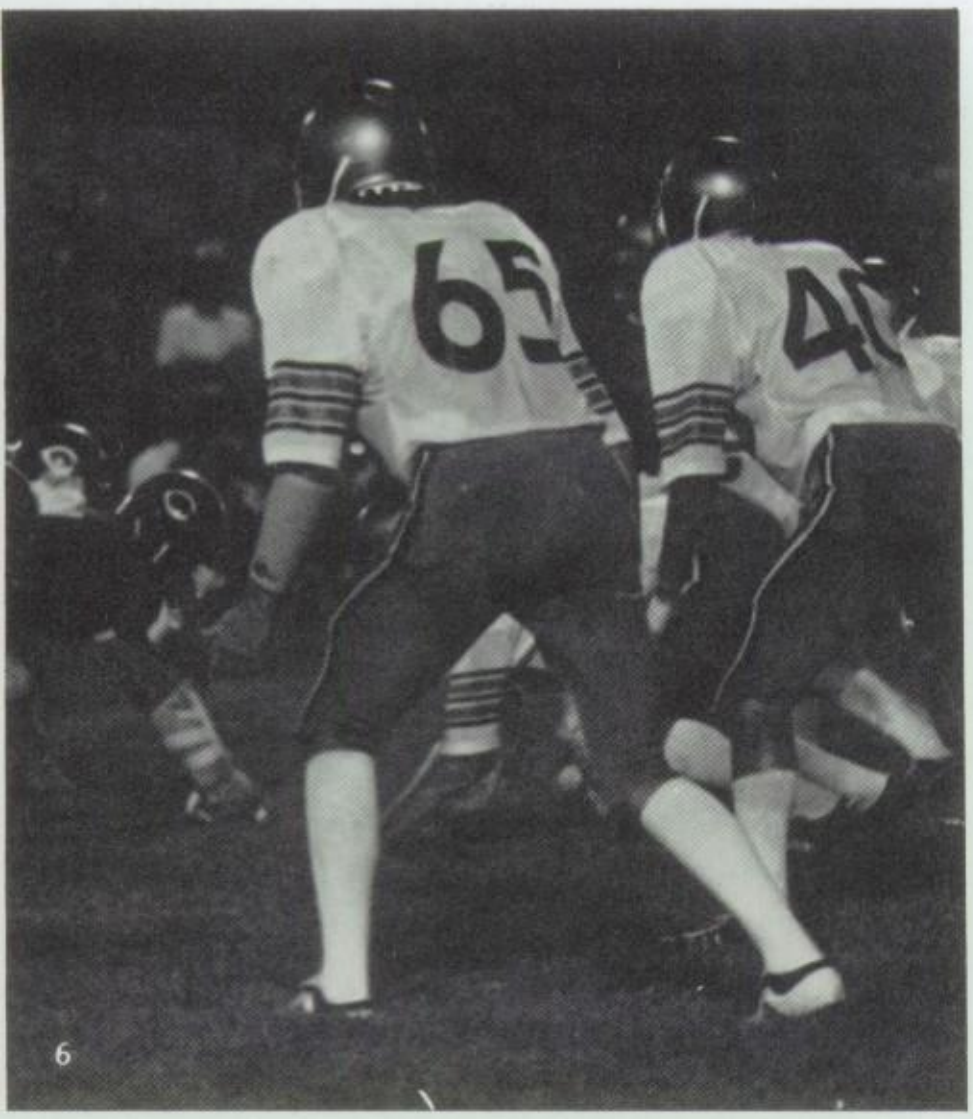
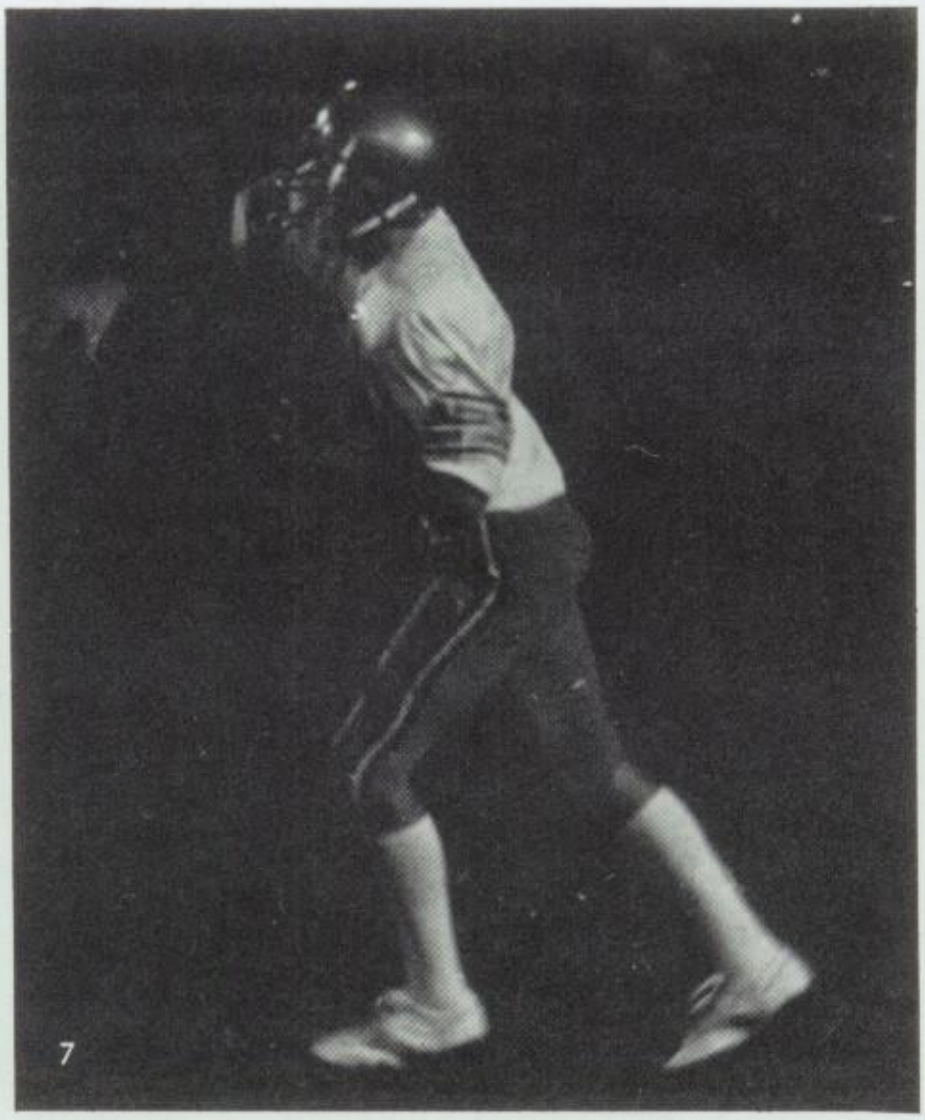
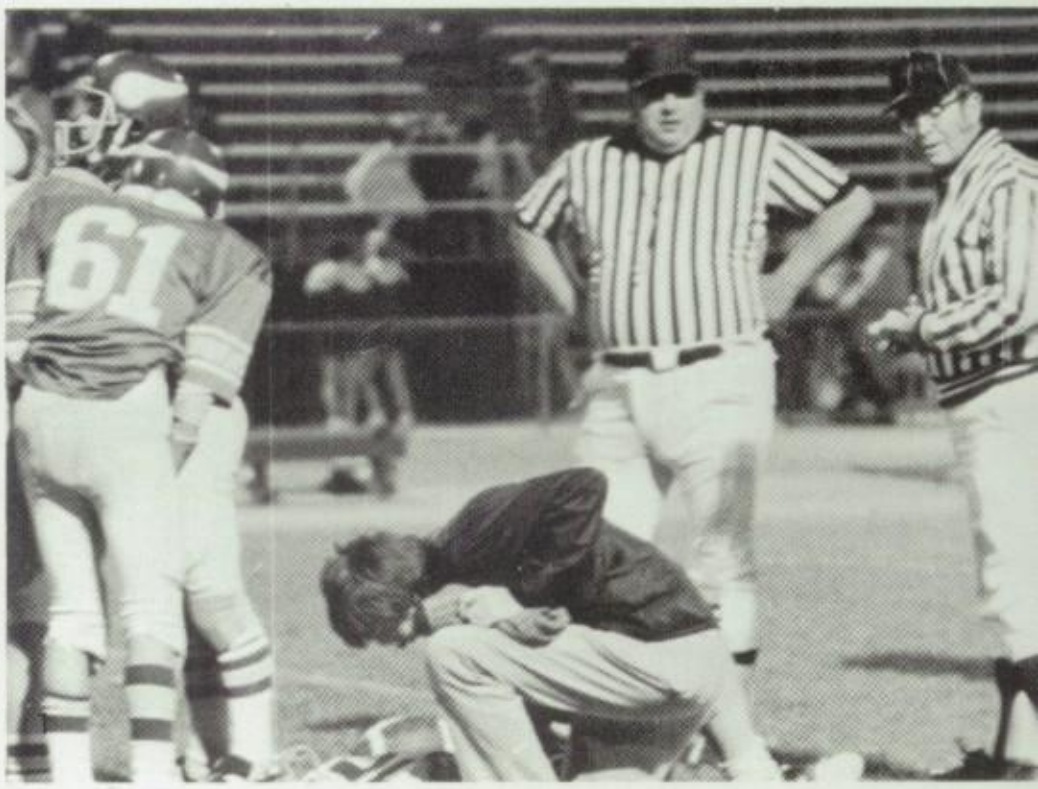




1. An Eagle is smashed by the Oracle defense. 2. With intensity in his eye, Halfback Chuck Veach runs for glory against Twin Lakes. 3. *VARSITY FOOTBALL. Row 1:* Burton, Minnicus, Thompson, Jargstorf, Petry, Clawson, Watson, Denhart, Nichols, Starbuck, Replogle, Veach, M. Hoffman. *Row 2:* Coach Berto, McFatridge, Lake, Abbott, McGrew, Wingard, H. Clifford, Garrison, S. Hoffman, D. Clifford, Dunbar, Duff, Wood, Coach Hurst. *Row 3:* Cripe, Wilcox, Smith, Witherspoon, Justice, Schrader, Tyner, Garrison, Allen, Hatke, Cornell, Coach Parker. 4. The DCHS offense on the charge. 5. Hugh Clifford aims for the goal. 6. The mighty Oracle defense stands ready for anything the Carroll Cougar offense could do. 7. Quarterback Mark Hoffman tosses an aerial completion to an Oracle teammate downfield.

FROSH LOOK TOUGH

The Freshman Football team fought hard this year. Being new to high school football they learned new executions of skills and other aggressive moves to try out against their opponents. They tried the best they could for such a young team and gave the other teams a good go for their money. The team was under the strict supervision of coaches Phil Cottrell and Bill Gray. These men worked hard with the boys and taught them the true meaning of the word "football". KS



1. An injured Oracle is aided by Trainer Lindsey Hartshorn. 2. *FRESHMAN FOOTBALL. Row 1:* Abbott, Minnicus, C. Dickson, Harshbarger, Lanham, Sutton, Burge, Sales. *Row 2:* Coach Cottrell, Hall, Hunt, Floyd, Smothers, M. Dickson, Denton, Click, Stone, Schrader. *Row 3:* Seele, Young, Duff, Hammond, Price, Kirby, Burns, Bieghler, Morris, Ray, Coach Gray. 3. The Mavericks move out as the Oracles rush in.

J.V. STEPS UP

1. The Oracles break a huddle for another play. 2. J.V. boys get pysched up for a victory. 3. *JUNIOR VARSITY FOOTBALL. Row 1:* Wilcox, Witherspoon, D. Smith, McGrew, Justice, Hatke, Clifford, Tyner, Duff Cripe. *Row 2:* E. Nelson, Cornell, Garrison, Allan, Schrader, Harford, Hunt, Schock, Underhill, Coach Hurst. *Row 2:* Franschina, D. Nelson, Roth, Burdine, Dunbar, Brown, Walters, P. Smith.

The Junior Varsity Football team may be described as a well rounded and able squad. Although the group was quite young, they showed great improvement and gained valuable football experience.

Under the guidance of Coach Steve Hurst, the Oracles' overall team play improved immensely throughout the tough conference schedule. These young gridders will be strong varsity material for next year. TLB

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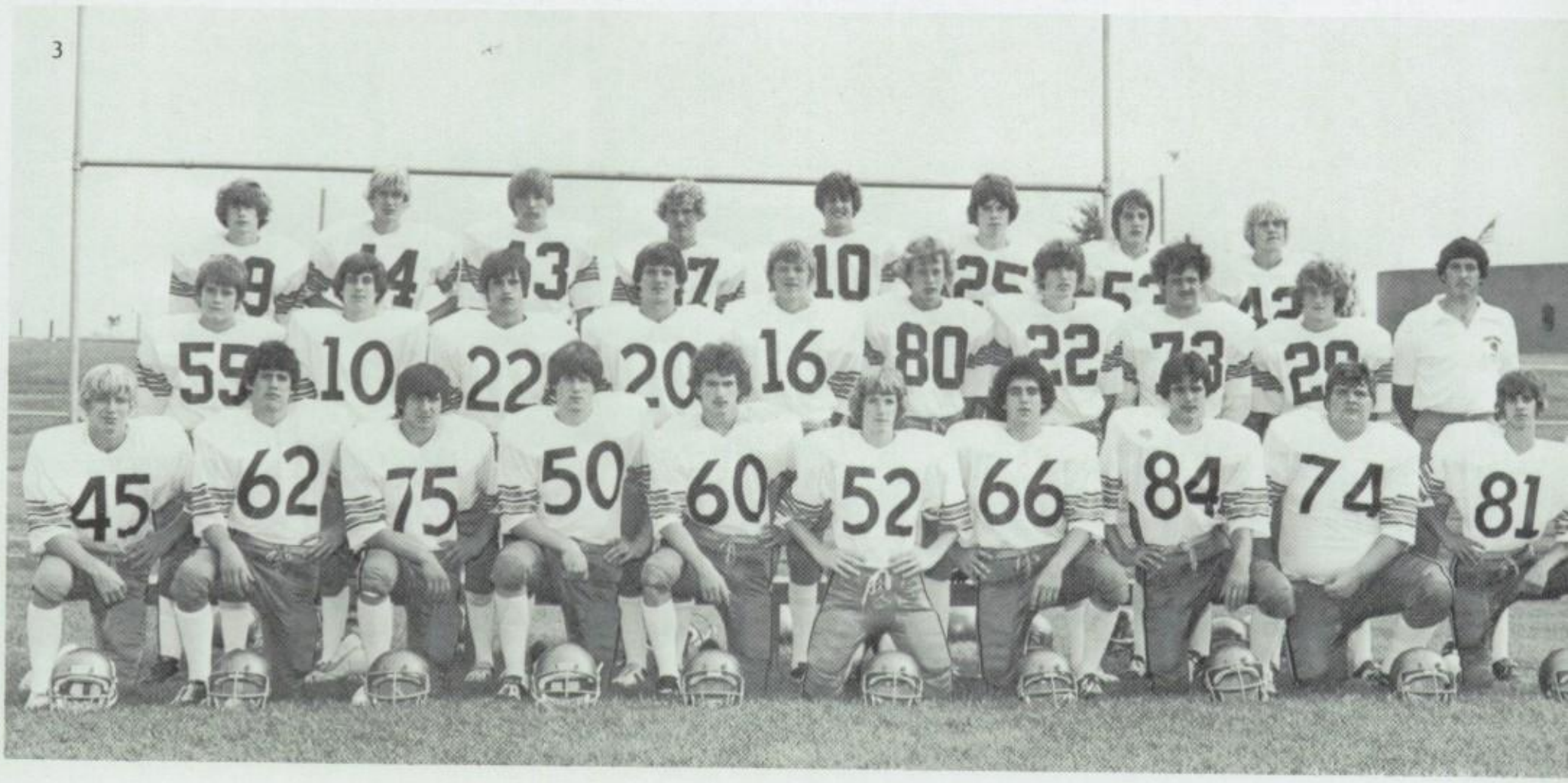
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1. Rookie Coach Sally Knight discusses the game plan with Assistant Coach Karen Hanni. 2. Time out is taken to regroup the Varsity team. 3. Jane Spitznagle gets set for a service reception. 4. *VARSITY VOLLEYBALL. Clockwise from left:* Lori Sprague, Kathy Crume, Judy Hildebrandt, Jane Spitznagle, Celena Crume, Katrina Pearson, Madonna Barnard, Susan Strasser, Dee Syphers. 5. Judy Hildebrandt spikes while Katrina Pearson and Jane Spitznagle stay alert.

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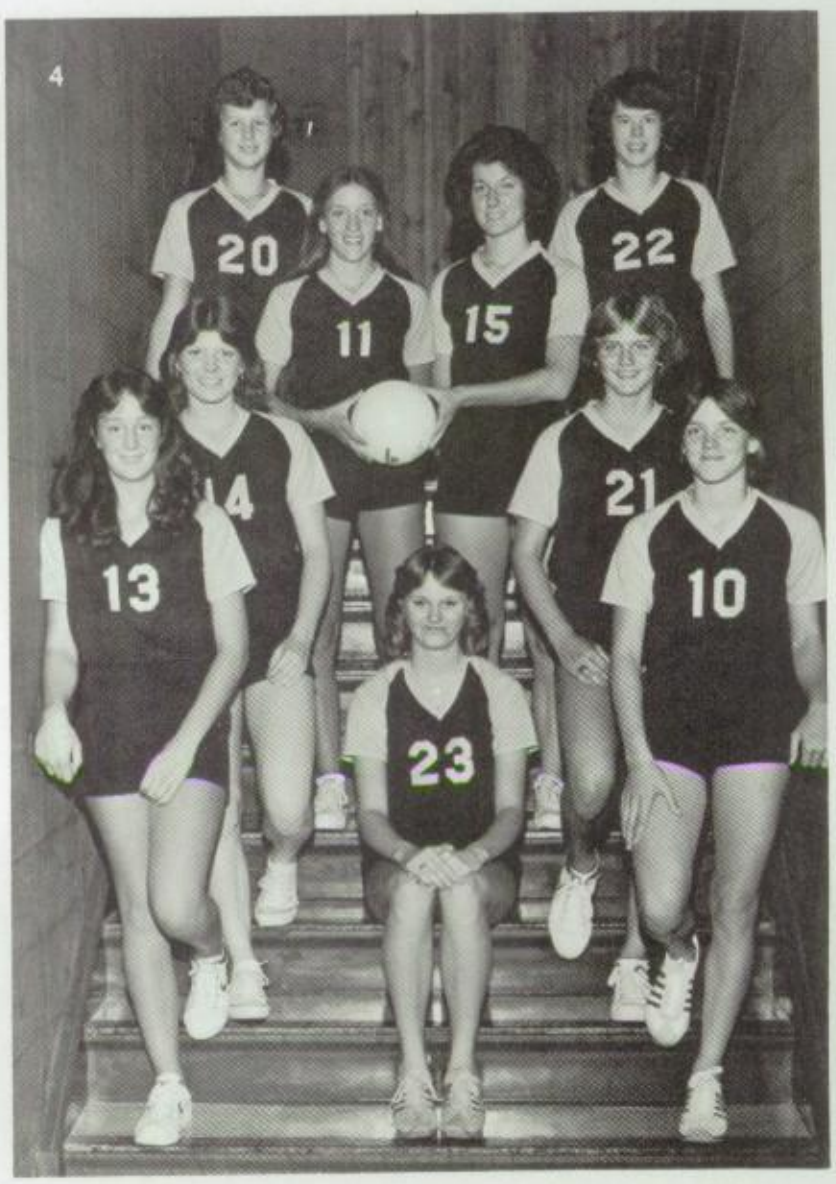

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VBERS EXCELL

The team's record didn't show the real talent and competitiveness of the girls' volleyball team. It did show improvement and dedication throughout the thirteen game schedule.

Senior Co-captains Jane Spitznagle and Celena Crume led the team in sets and spikes. Promising underclassmen, juniors, Susan Strasser, Judy Hildebrandt, and Sophomore Katrina Pearson, showed strong potential for filling their spots next year.

Rookie Head Coach Sally Knight, and Assistant Coach Karen Hanni have reason to believe that the experience and improvement gained this year will help make the 1979 team a strong contender for the future sectional title. TLB

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1. *Row 1:* Sue Seramur, Lisa Jenkins. *Row 2:* Tricia Starbuck, Karla Pearson, Pam Powlen. *Row 3:* Debbie Lichtenberger, Rita Franek. 2. Karla Pearson looks ready for the next point.

The freshman volleyball team under the direction of Miss Karen Hanni looked like a very experienced team as they came back in the game against C.C. from 3-12 to win 15-12. These girls looked tough and fought for every point. The leading scorers were Karla Pearson, Tricia Starbuck, and Pam Powlen. They had long practices but in the end they were heard to say "It was worth it".

KS

FROSH!!

J.V. TRY HARD

3. *Row 1:* Rene Franek, Kathe Lichtenberger. *Row 2:* Cheryl Humphrey, Jill Wallace, Sherri Duff, Lisa Jennings. 4. Cheryl Humphrey uses the "bump".

The six girls on the junior varsity volleyball team came out at the end of August to be coached by Miss Sally Knight. She taught them new, and different ways of hitting the ball in order to psyche the other team out. Leading scorers were Captain Lisa Jennings, Rene Franek, and following closely behind senior Cheryl Humphrey. Miss Knight has high hopes that these girls will make good team material for next year. KS

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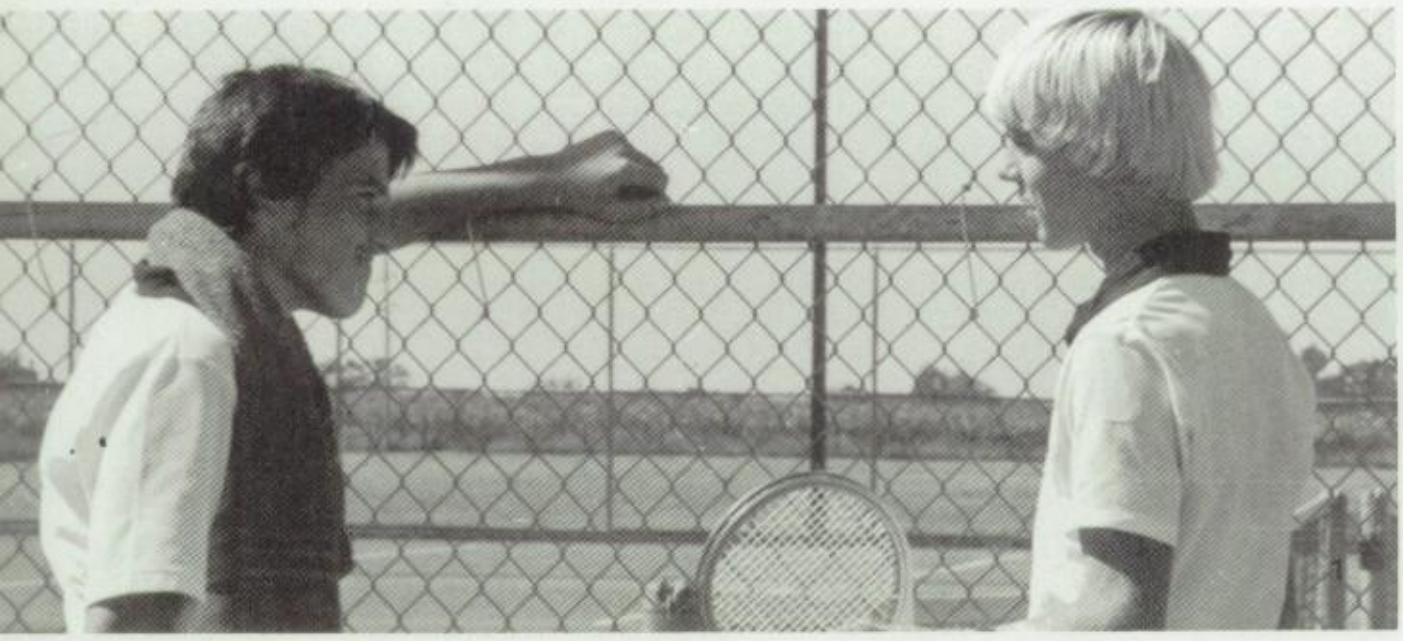


The 1978 tennis team proved to be a great surprise as they more than bettered their season. The netters' success was questionable at the start of the season because of a lack of players. Due to a snowmobile accident, the team lost one varsity racket-man, but was able to fill his spot adequately. Hard work and determination boosted the moral enough to pull them through with flying colors. Congratulations and "Good Luck" next year. GMc

1. Varsity players Bernie Wallmann and Phil Brown take a break after a hard practice. 2. While Rob Roth observes from the sideline Steve Johns readies a serve. 3. *VARSITY TENNIS. Row 1:* Coach Mathis, Steve Johns, Scott Wagoner, Ed Fleck. *Row 2:* Kevin Conner, Phil Brown, Pat Leahy, Bernie Wallmann. 4. *JV TENNIS. Row 1:* Rob Roth, Troy Robbins, Jeff Tyner, Sig Fleck. *Row 2:* Larry Corman, Mike Leahy, David Gregoire, Rex Stern.

GOLFERS TAKE STANCE

"Third times the charm" could be easily applied to the 1978 Girls Golf team as they completed their third year of competition play and really took a stand in the athletic field with an impressive record of nine wins and two losses.

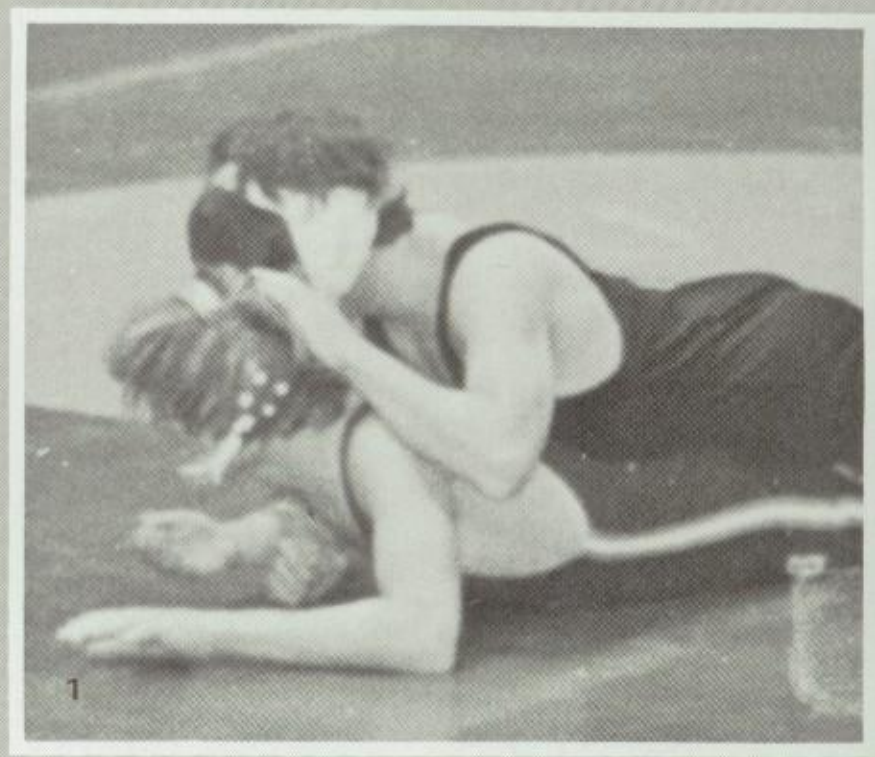
In the Hoosier Conference the team placed a solid second and missed going to regional by three strokes, gaining them fourth place in the sectional. Coach Linda Baumgartner, an avid golfer, chauffered the team to all away meets and was always there for moral support and technical advice. Throughout the season the girls set new individual and team records.

With all but one member returning next year, the future looks green and promising for the 1979 Girls Golf team. Ds

1. Novices Lisa Sanderson and Kristi Campbell pick up a few pointers from Terrie Berto. 2. *J.V. AND VARSITY. Row 1:* Coach Baumgartner. *Row 2:* Nancy Ives, Deb Ballard, Kristi Campbell, Kim Sutton, Amy Boerger, Lisa Sanderson, Terrie Berto, Dee Sanderson. 3. Critically reviewing a scorecard, Amy Boerger, Dee Sanderson, and Kim Sutton know that in golf every score counts.

WRESTLERS CONQUER FOES

Not too many people knew the torture, agony, and the rewards of being a Delphi wrestler this year. The season started with long practices that lasted past sunset. Running for *intestinal fortitude* (or endurance to the non-wrestler) and lengthy mat time, thinned out the ranks until only the dedicated survived. The season itself was enjoyable to the fans as the matmen nailed down convincing victories by scores of 56-12 against Carroll, in front of the whole school, and 69-6 at Tri-County. In the big tournaments, the Oracles did well as individuals. Bob Floyd won his weight class in the sectional and regional to advance to the semi-state. J.D. Young and Chuck Veach also won their weight classes at the conference meet. It was a season many would never forget. RLD



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1. Tom Kennedy holds the advantage over a Harrison Raider. 2. *JV WRESTLERS: Row 1:* T. Seele, P. Smith, J. Franceschina, R. Strasser, M. Abbott, W. Stone. *Row 2:* Coach Cottrell, V. Summers, T. Murray, J. Rider, R. Denhart, R. Haan, T. Minnicus. 3. Pushing for a pin, P.T. Jefferies gives it all he's got.

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VARSITY WRESTLING: Row 1: P.T. Jeffries, Bob Floyd, Ed Fleck, Brian Burdine, Tim Young, Alan George. *Row 2:* Coach Phil Cottrell, Jeff Nichols, Pat Clawson, Brad Watson, Marty Strasser, J.D. Young. 2. Alan George and Rob Strasser celebrate their 3rd place victories at the sectional. 3. With a look of exhaustion, Marty Strasser raises his arm in victory. 4. Vic Summers confers with mastermind Coach Cottrell.

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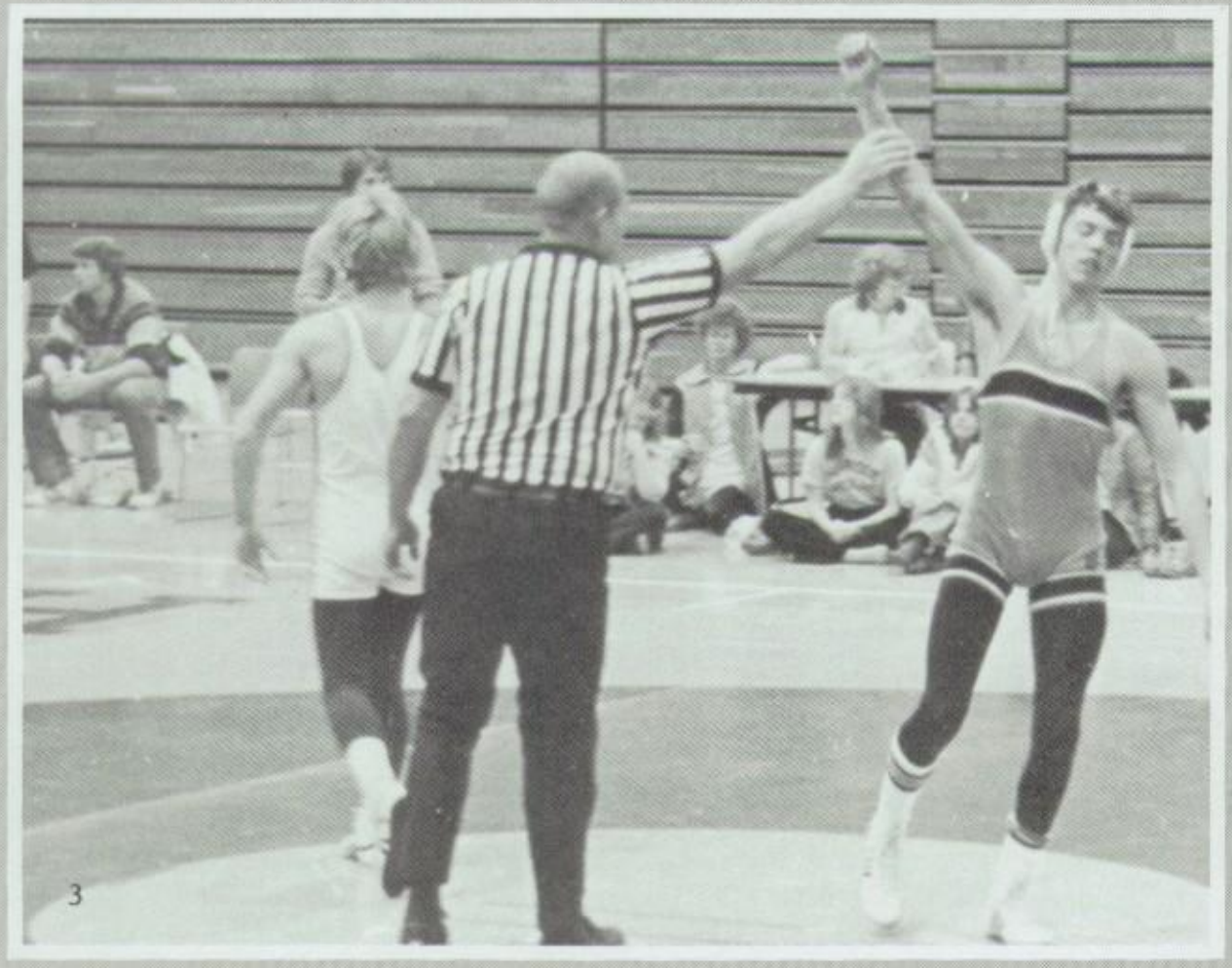
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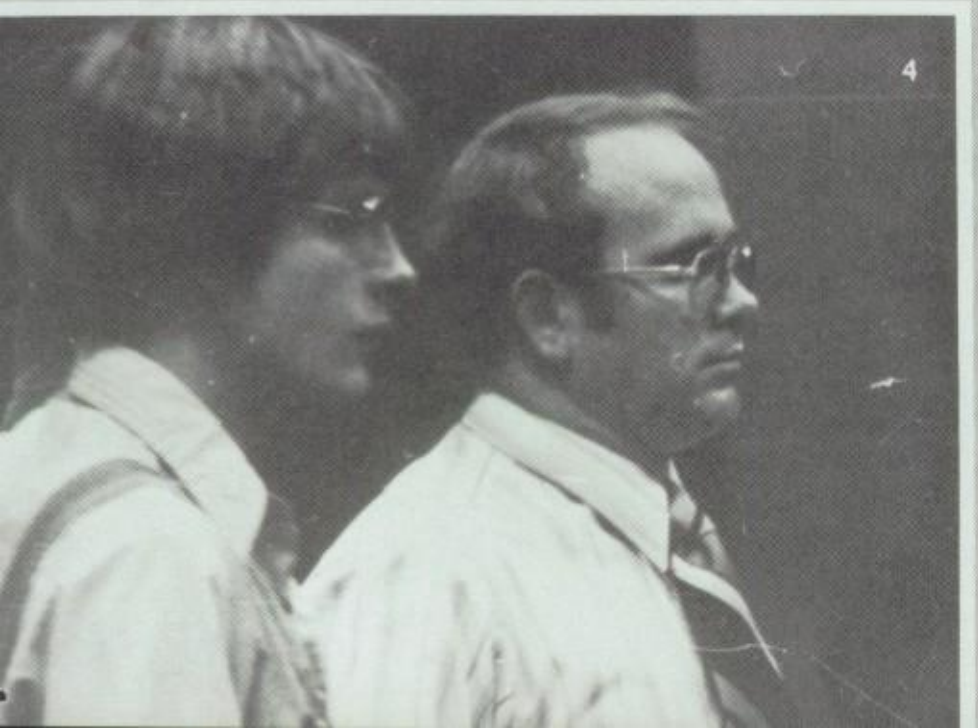
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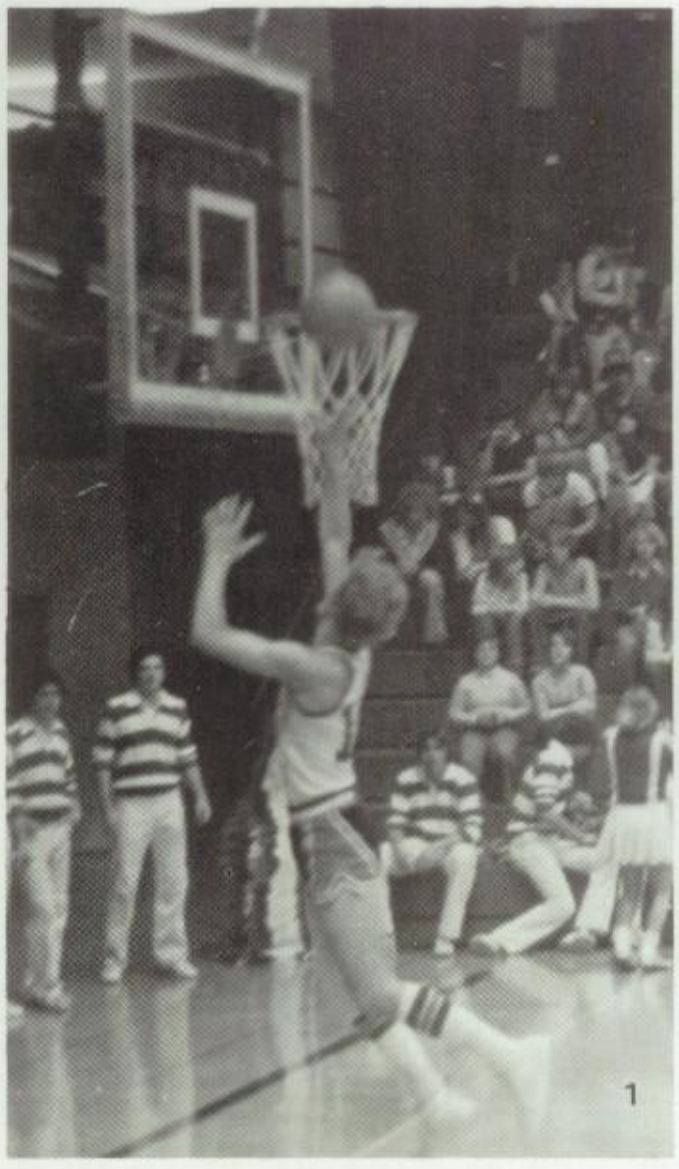

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VARSITY IS TOUGH

What happened behind the scenes of the smoothly executed moves displayed on the court? Hours of grueling self disciplinary practices for the eleven most dedicated and qualified to the Varsity Basketball squad. Coach Jim Lichtenberger entered his third year at DCHS and found that *# 3* had a somewhat adverse effect. Every member of the team was plagued by injury at one time or another during the season. Whoever remained fought on toward the goal of conquering the opposition and beating their contenders statistically. Free throw percentages, rebounding, and field goal percentages were specific areas of concentration.

Special times of victory for the Oracles were at the *McCutcheon* game and the narrow escapes at *Clinton Central* and *Benton Central* games. At *Clinton Prairie* Kevin Hathaway slammed the first two legal dunks in Oracle history.

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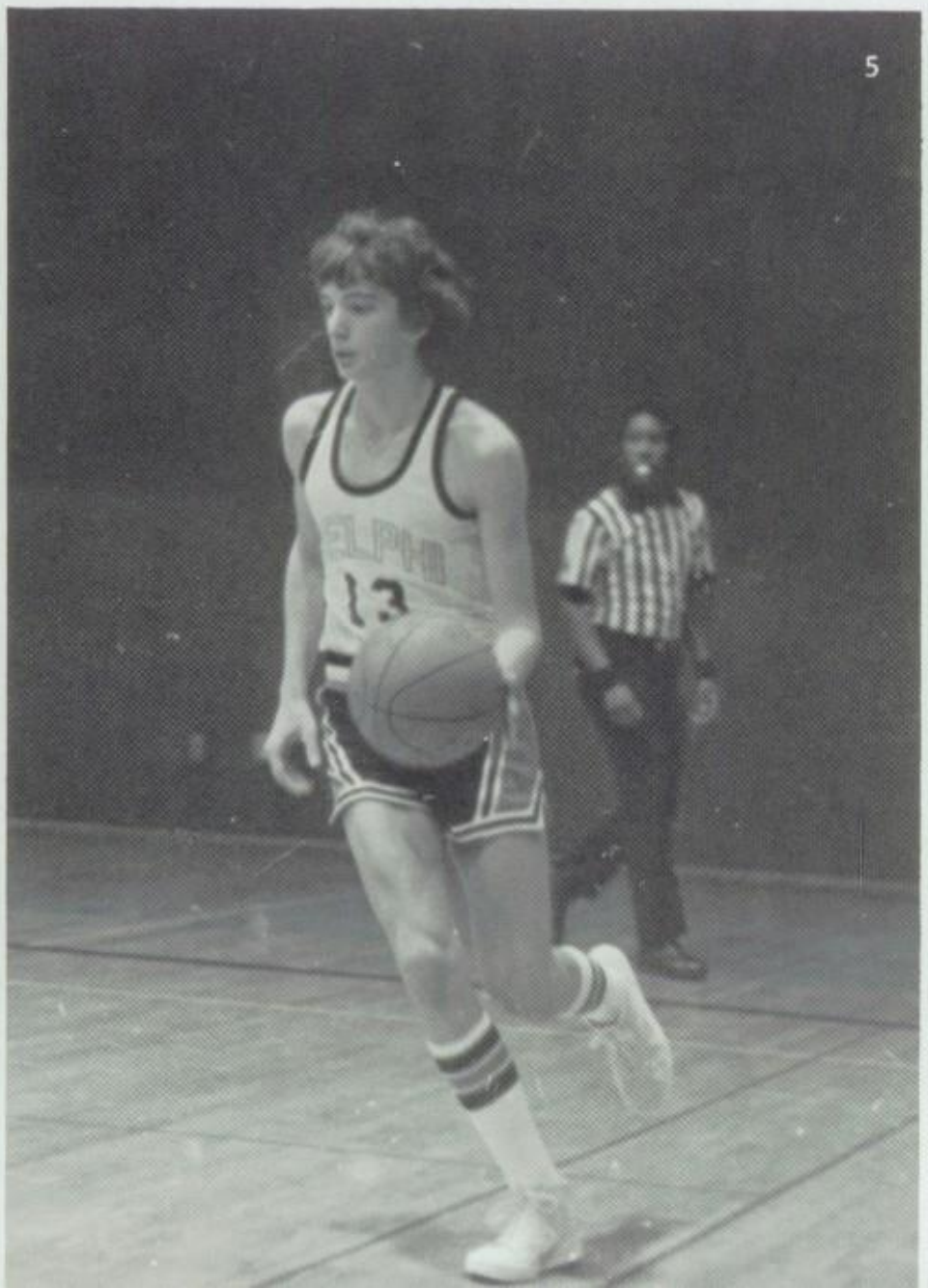
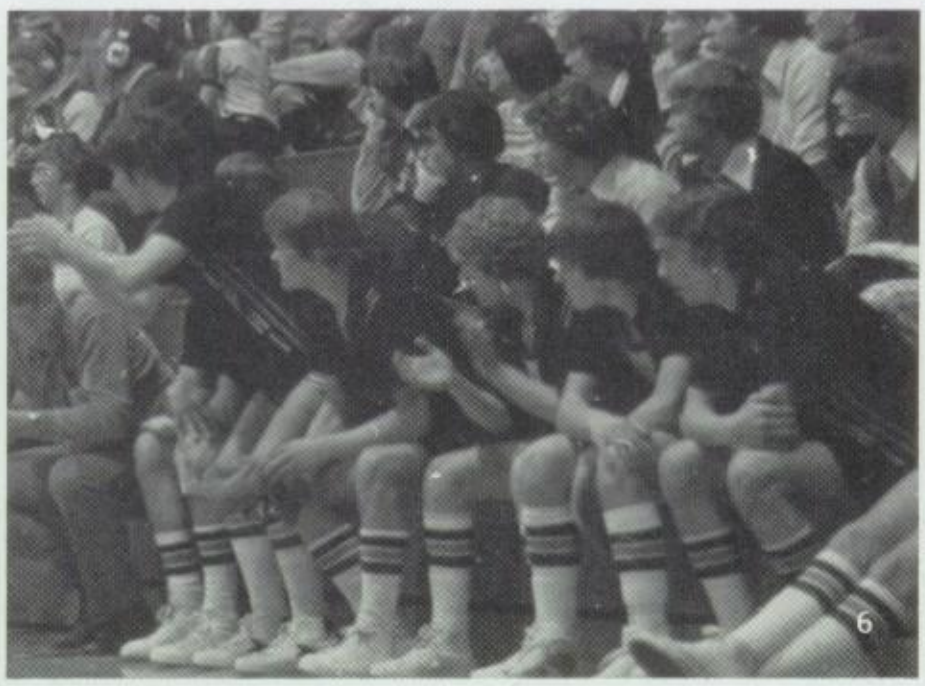
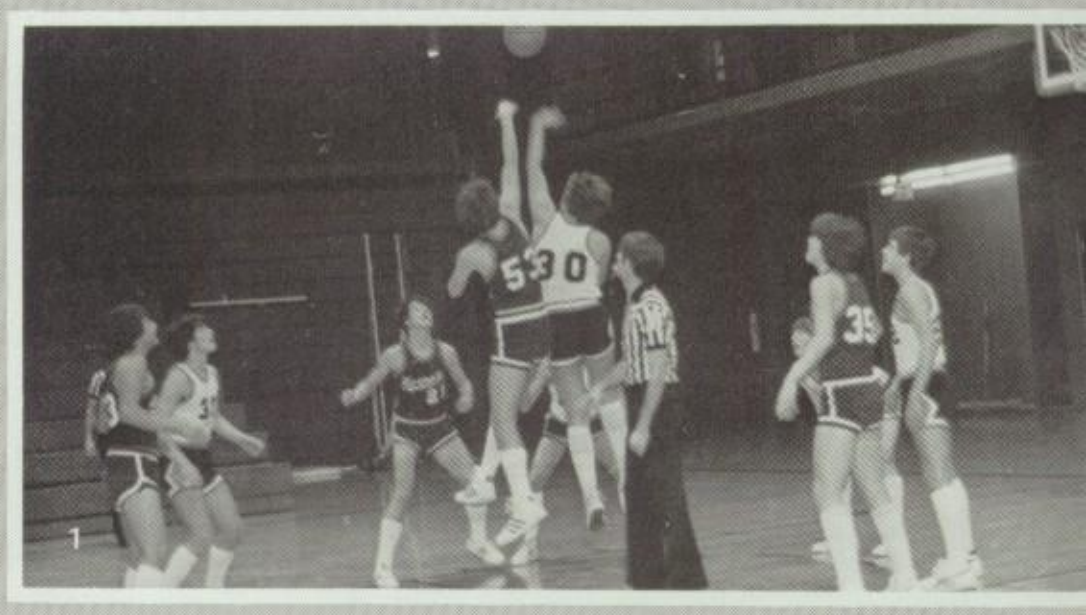




1. Mark Hoffman is just a *blurr* when he comes down the floor to make a lay-up. 2. You can see what kind of *stuff* Kevin Hathaway is made of! 3. The Oracles demonstrate their tight defensive strategy. 4. *VARSITY BASKETBALL TEAM. Left to Right:* Steve Hoffman, Bernie Wallmann, Rodger Replogle, David Mullin, Kevin Hathaway, Coach Jim Lichtenberger, Dean Donaldson, Mark Hoffman, Bob Kleckner, Bob McFatridge, Max Victor. *(Not pictured:* Mark Jargstorf). 5. With muscles tensed, Steve Hoffman moves the ball down the court. 6. "Team Work" is encouraged by team mates.

WORKING HARD

A hard-working freshman team put in many long and grueling hours of practice whenever and wherever they could each night. With the careful training of Coach Greg Parker and assistant Mike Miller, the team saw many wins and some defeats. The players showed steady improvement throughout the season and will make a good Junior-Varsity team next season. KS

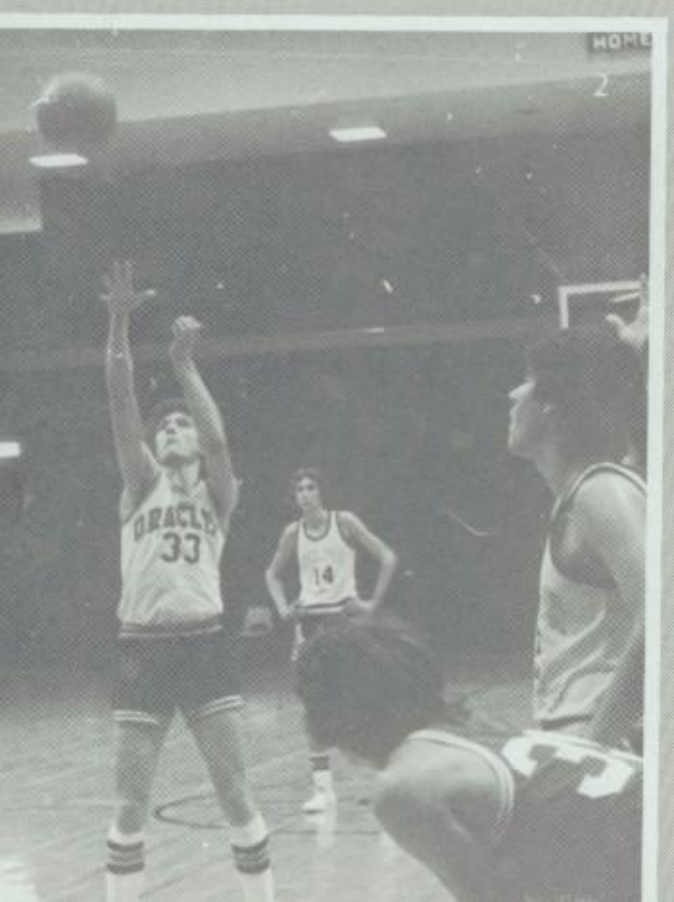


1. Center Mike Price controls the tip by a flip of his wrist. 2. *FRESHMAN TEAM. Row 1.* David Gregoire, Scott Wray, Joe Kennedy, Rob Roth, Frank Cook. *Row 2:* Coach Greg Parker, John Eberle, Kevin Hammond, Rex Stern, Mike Price, Ty Sutton, Jackie Bieghler, Assistant Coach Miller.

The Junior Varsity Basketball Team, led by the *"great"* Coach Jim Crist, started out slowly, but with determination and drive they were able to come back later in the season by beating an undefeated Fort Wayne South team. The squad worked well together and were ready and willing to take on any and all of their competitive opponents.

KS

1. *JUNIOR VARSITY BASKETBALL TEAM. Row 1:* Phil Schrader, Brian Fogarsi, Tim Canen, John Abbott. *Row 2:* Tony Kerker, Tim Justice, Coach James Crist, Tom Moore, David Harford. 2. On the stripe is Tim Justice taking the crucial freethrow.



J.V. UPSETS FORT WAYNE S.

The 1978-79 girl's basketball team compiled the finest win-loss record in its brief history of girl's basketball at DCHS. The Oracles finished the season with a deceiving 9-6 record, considering four of the team's six losses were within a combined total of seven points. Four of those teams went on to win their own sectional titles.

The Oracle's record could have easily been 13-2, but the win-loss record isn't everything. The young team learned and improved greatly in every game under the fine coaching of Karen Hanni. The members of the team won't forget experiencing their first-ever victory over tough Lafayette Jefferson and their single game scoring record of 78-26 over Winamac in the sectional opener.

With many returning experienced players, the prospects look bright for the next season. TLB

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The 78-79 season for both the first time Freshman team and Junior Varsity was very pleasing. First year coach Sally Knight led the girls to an undefeated season, while Junior Varsity Coach Cheryl Natterman (for the second straight year) guided her team on to a most successful season. With just three sophomores on the team and the rest freshman, they finished the season with just one loss (to undefeated Twin Lakes) losing the close contest by just a *single point.*

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1. Center Katrina Pearson uses the best of her jumping ability to make sure the Oracles get possession of the ball. 2. Two points are added to the score, as Lisa Hathaway puts one up from underneath. 3. *GIRLS' VARSITY BASKETBALL. Row 1:* Terrie Berto, Jane Spitznagle Teresa Elston, Sally Brooks, *Row 2:* Coach Karen Hanni, Shirley Griffith, Lisa Hathaway, Katrina Pearson, Nancy Brooks, Celena Crume. 4. *FRESHMAN BASKETBALL. Row 1:* Tricia Starbuck, Vicki Nape, Sue Seramur, *Row 2:* Pam Powlen, Jennifer Venters, Nancy Ives. *Row 3:* Coach Knight, Lisa Jenkins, Karla Pearson, Debbie Lichtenberger. 5. *JUNIOR VARSITY. Row 1:* Sue Seramur, Pam Powlen, Lisa Jenkins, Nancy Ives, Vicki Nape. *Row 2:* Coach Natterman, Lisa Jennings, Debbie Lichtenberger, Karla Pearson, Deann Syphers, Jennifer Venters, Tricia Starbuck. 6. Pam Powlen shoots over a defender with confidence.

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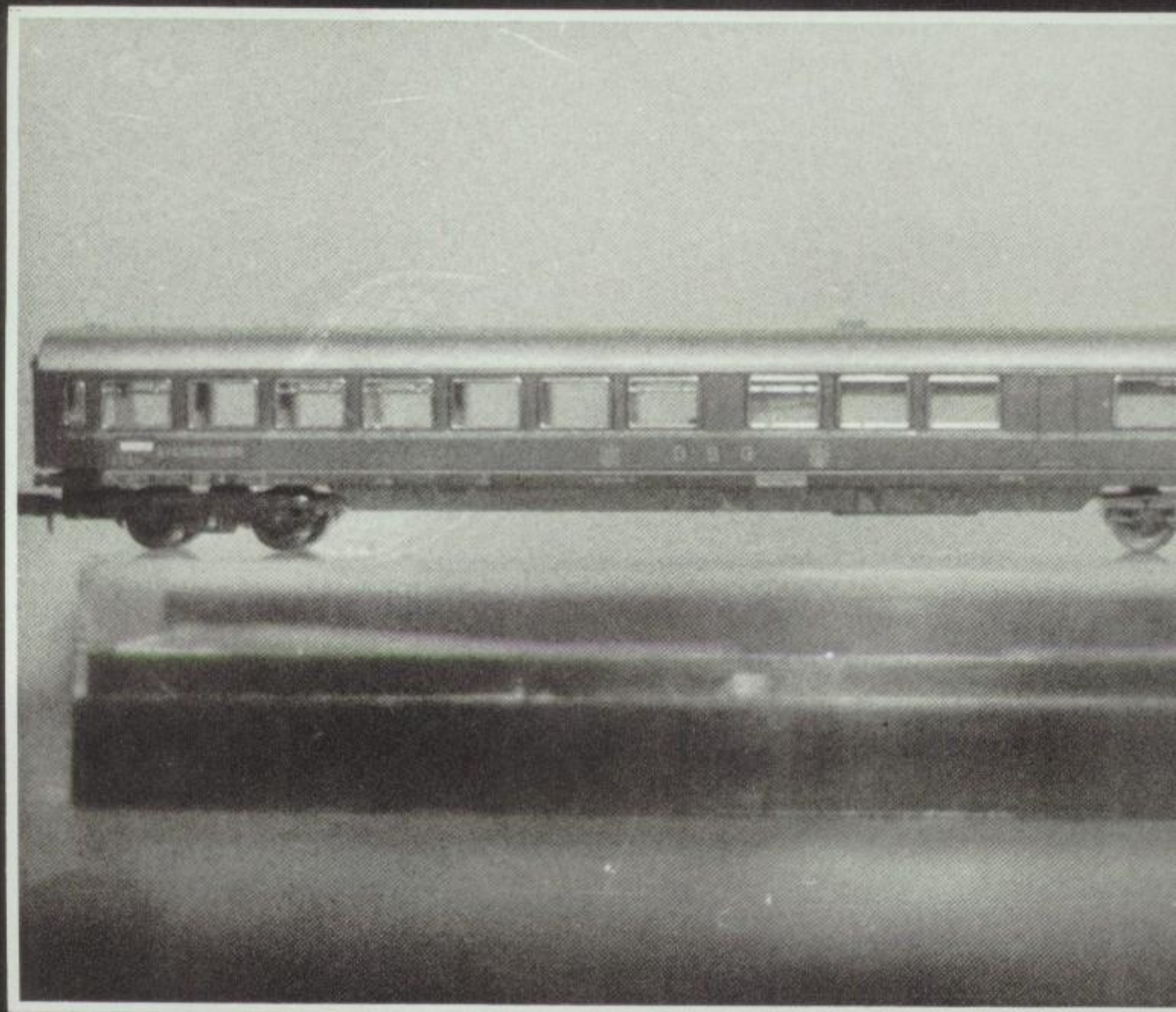

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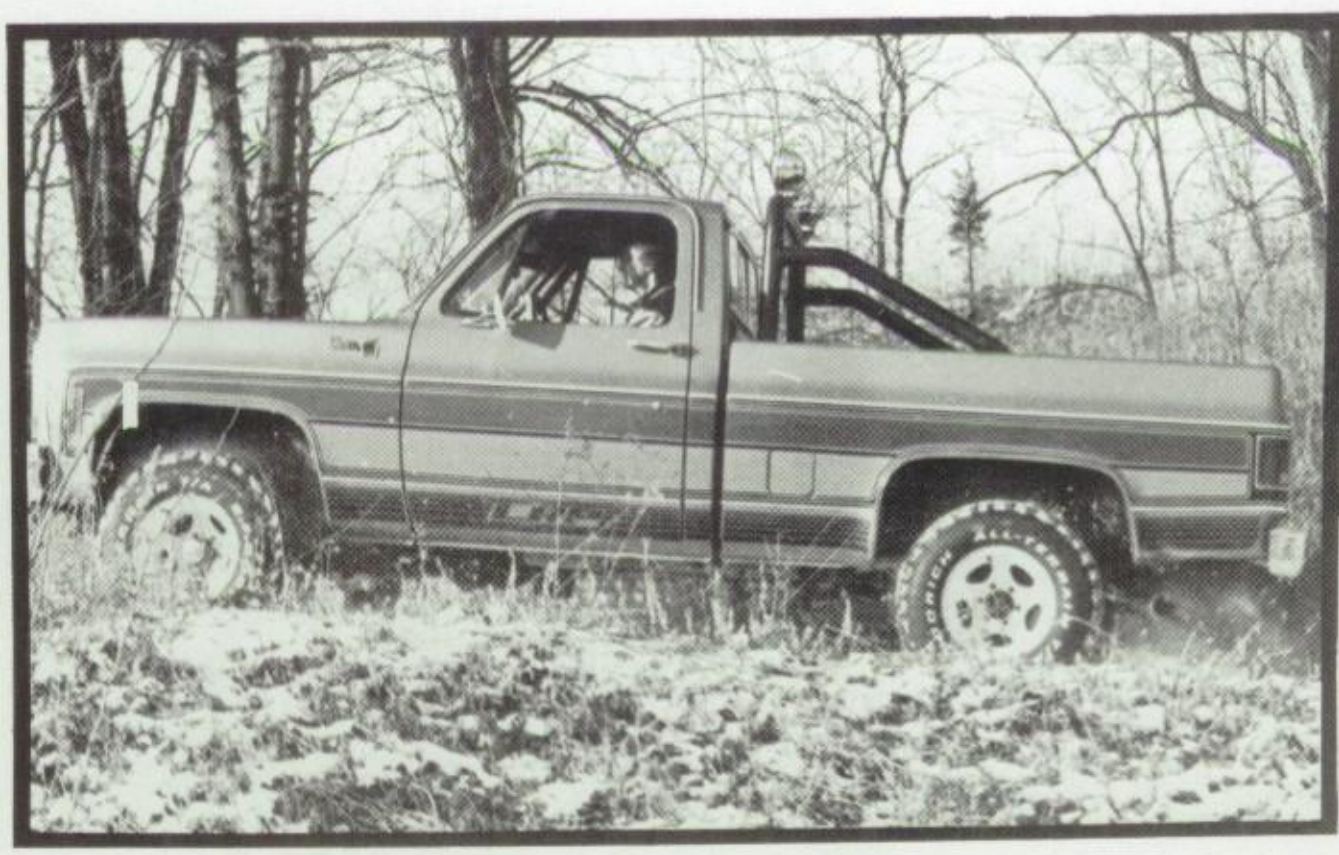

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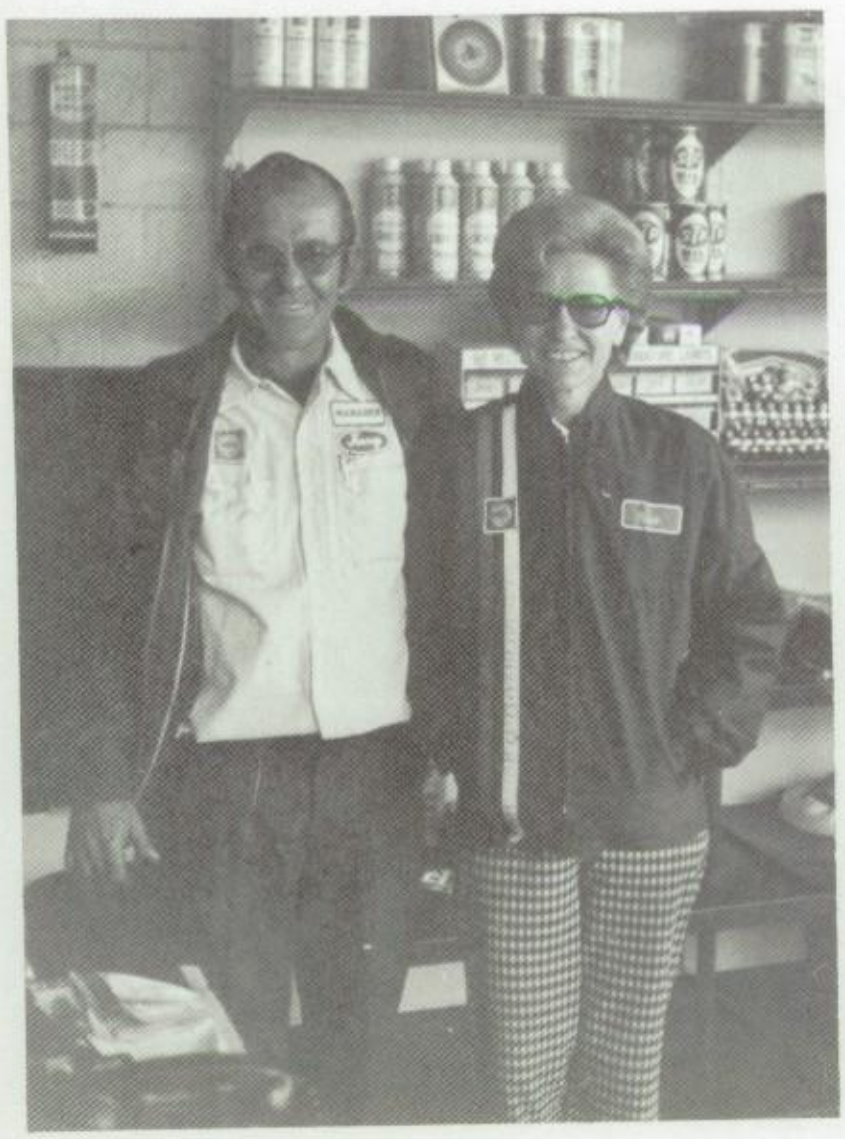

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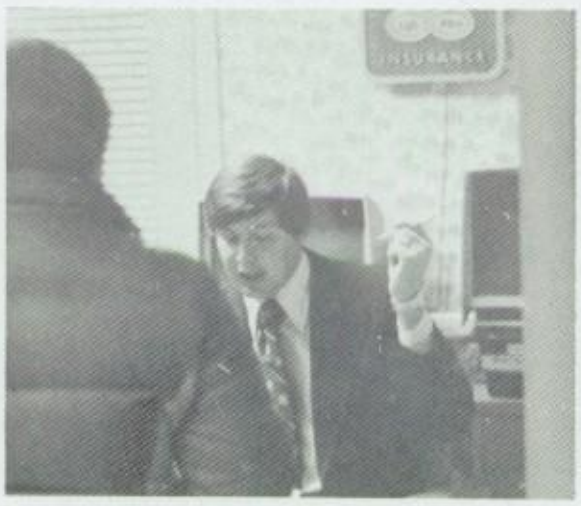

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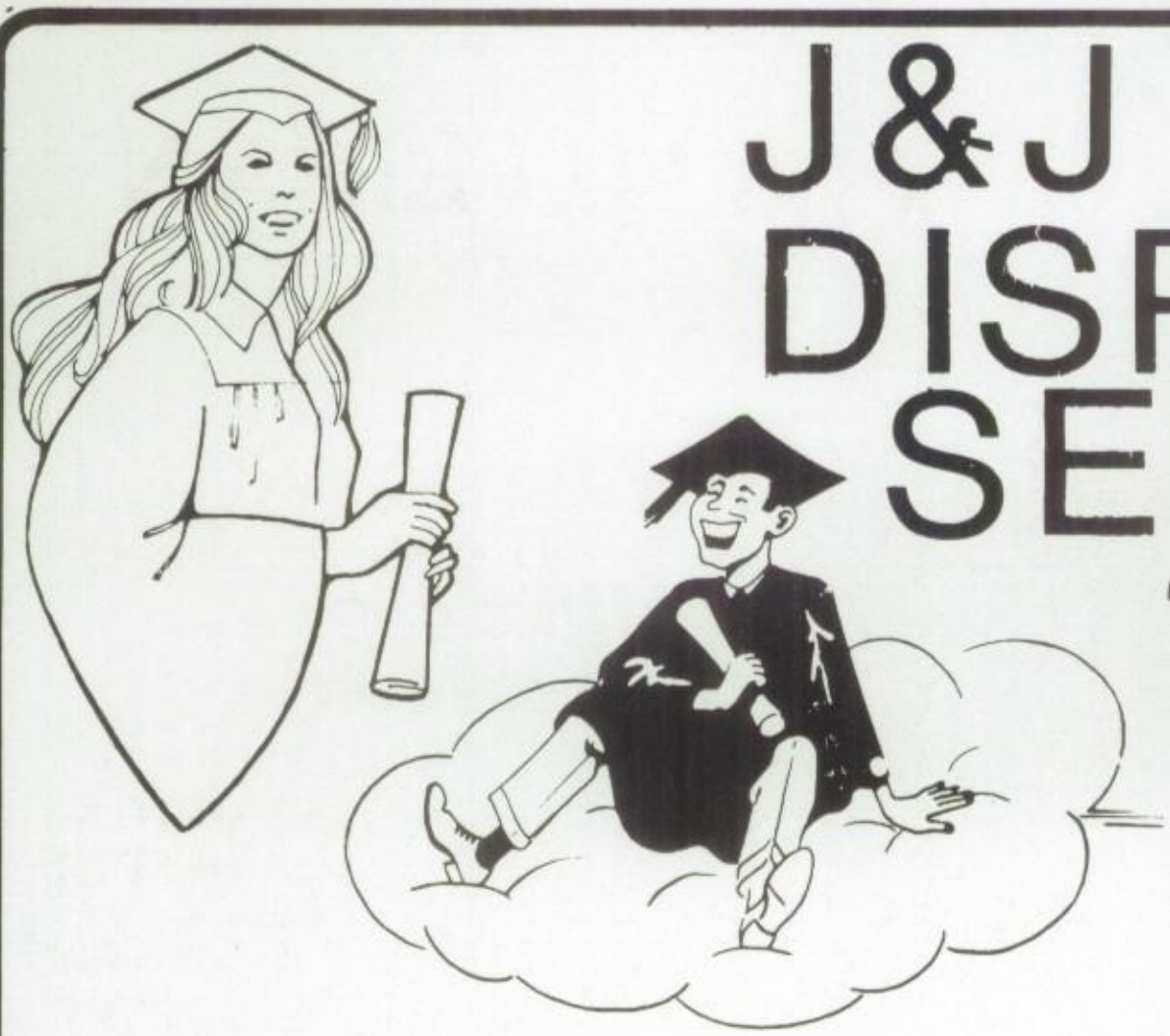

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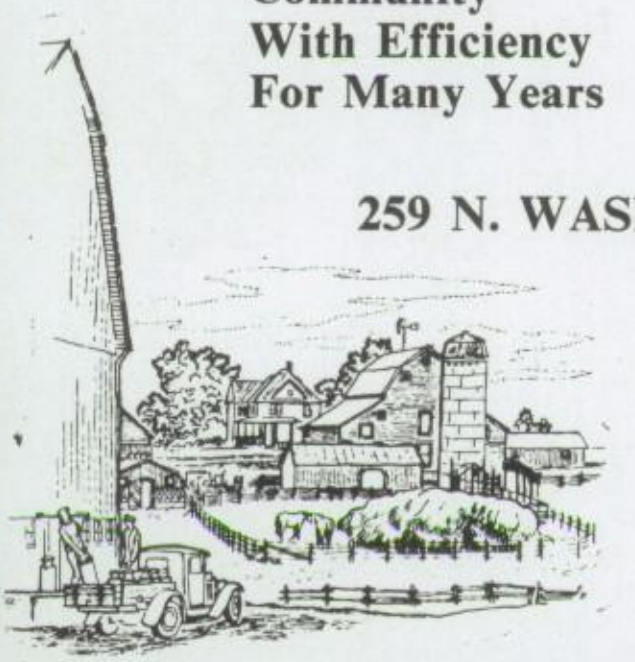

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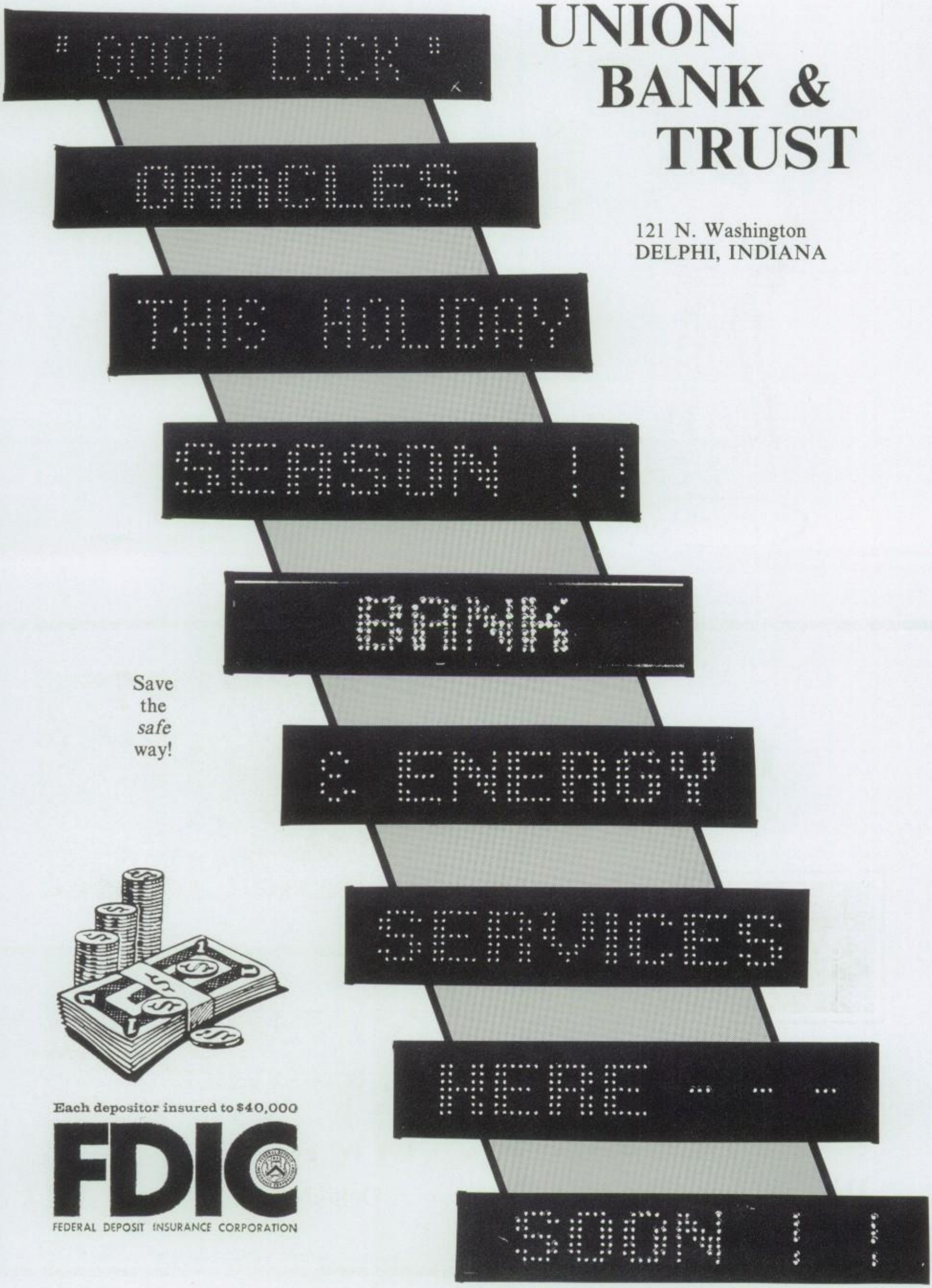

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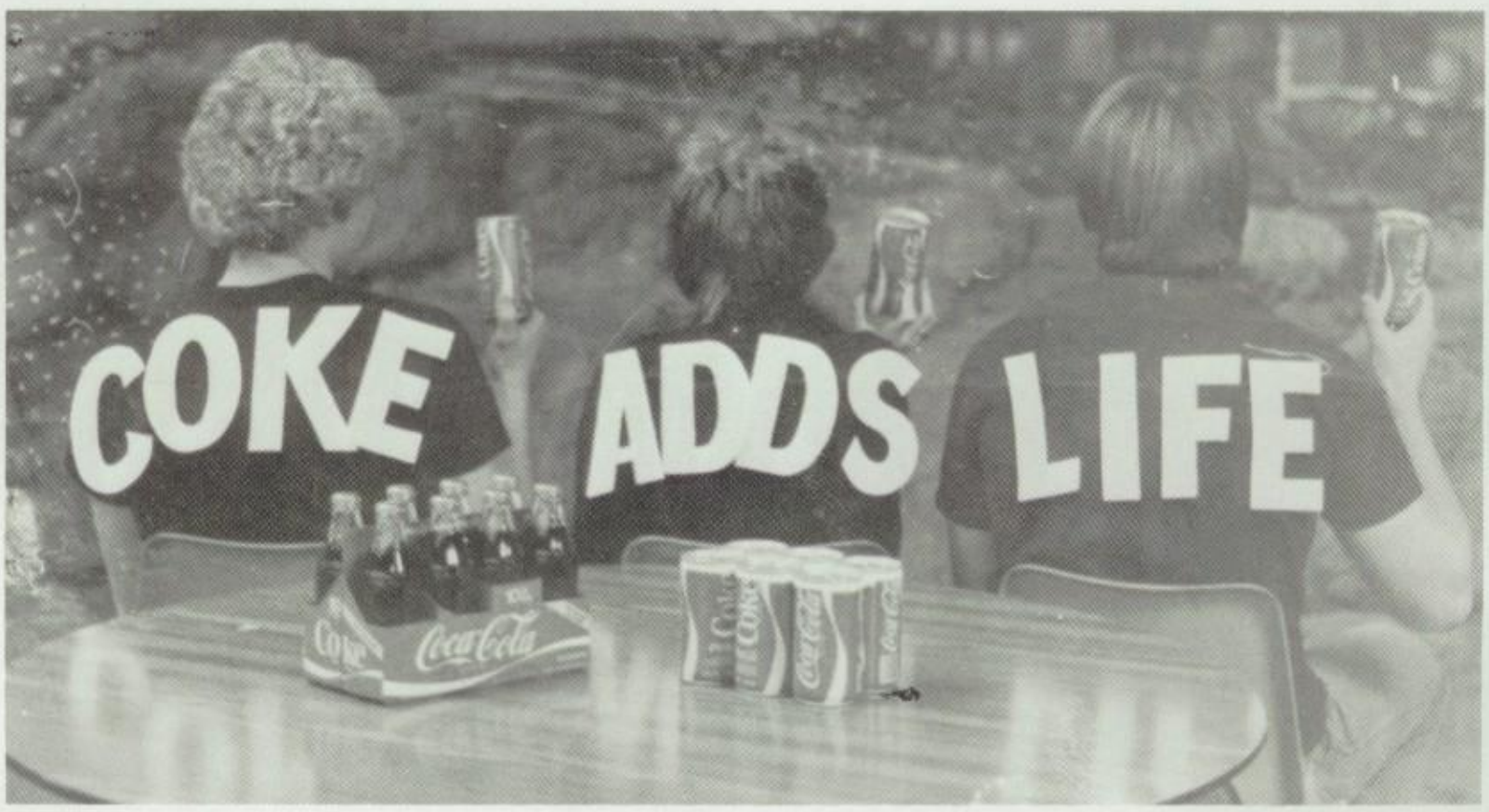

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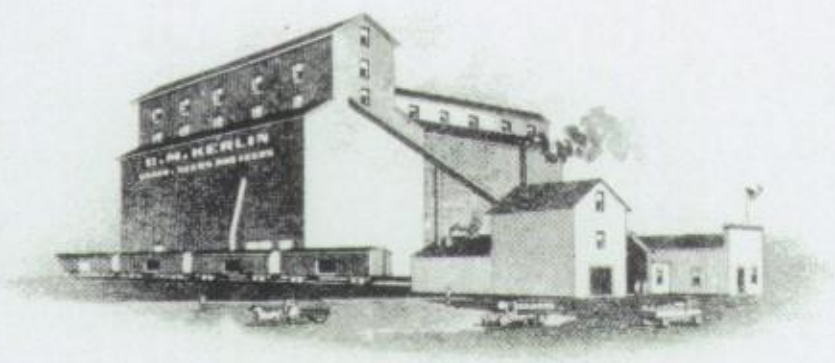

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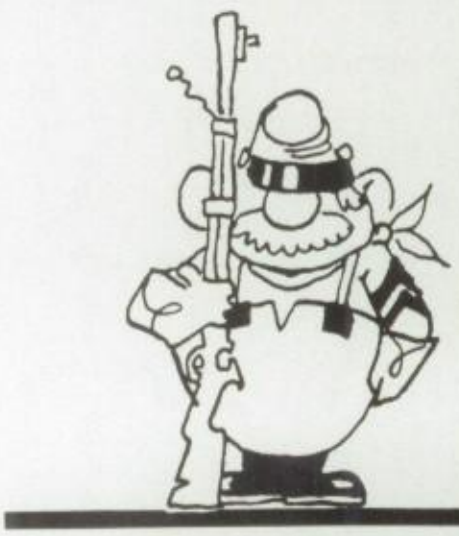

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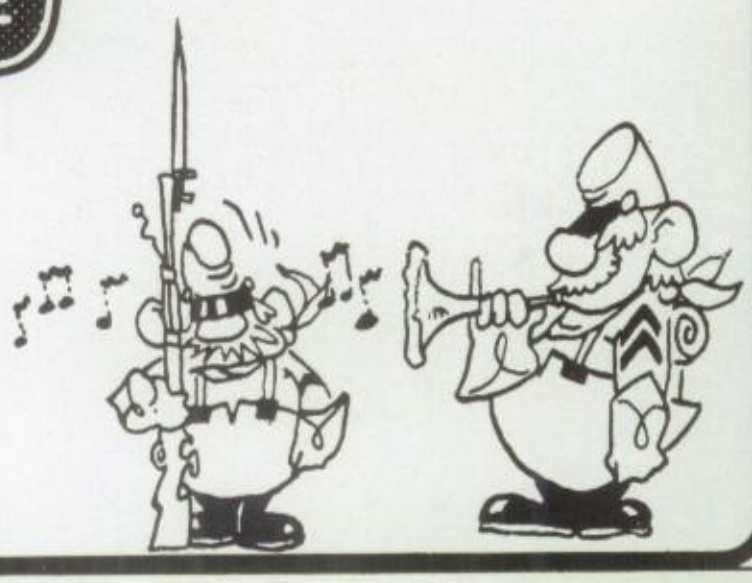

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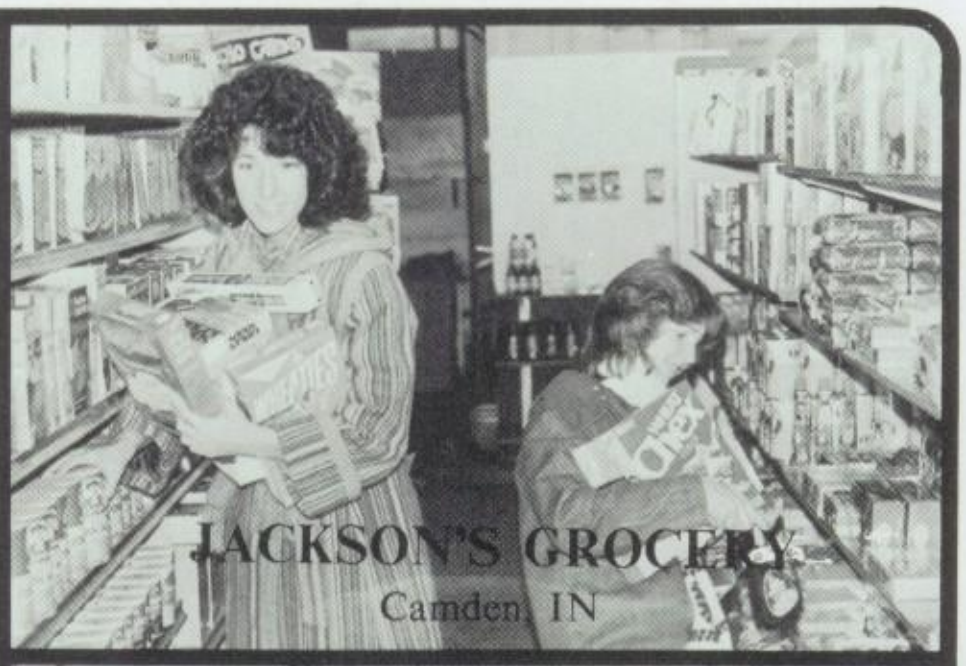

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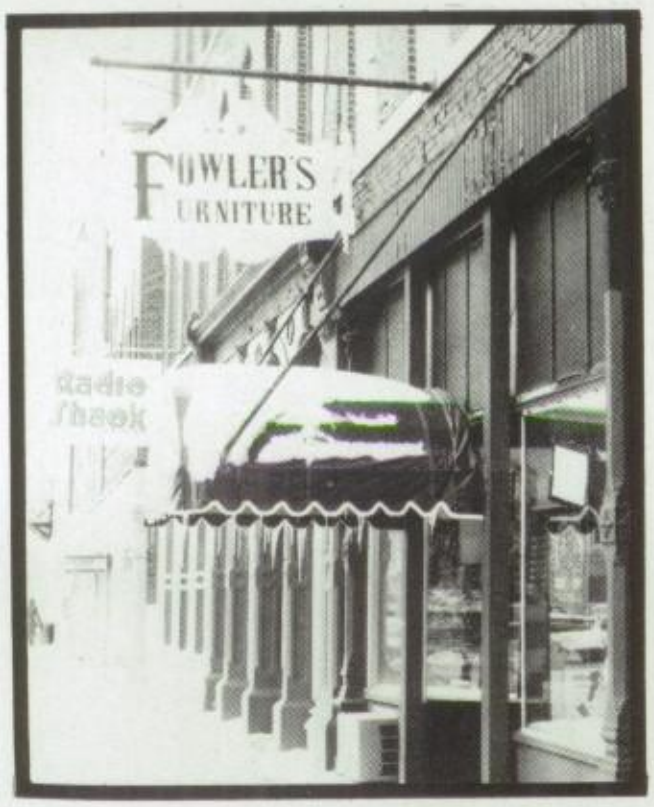

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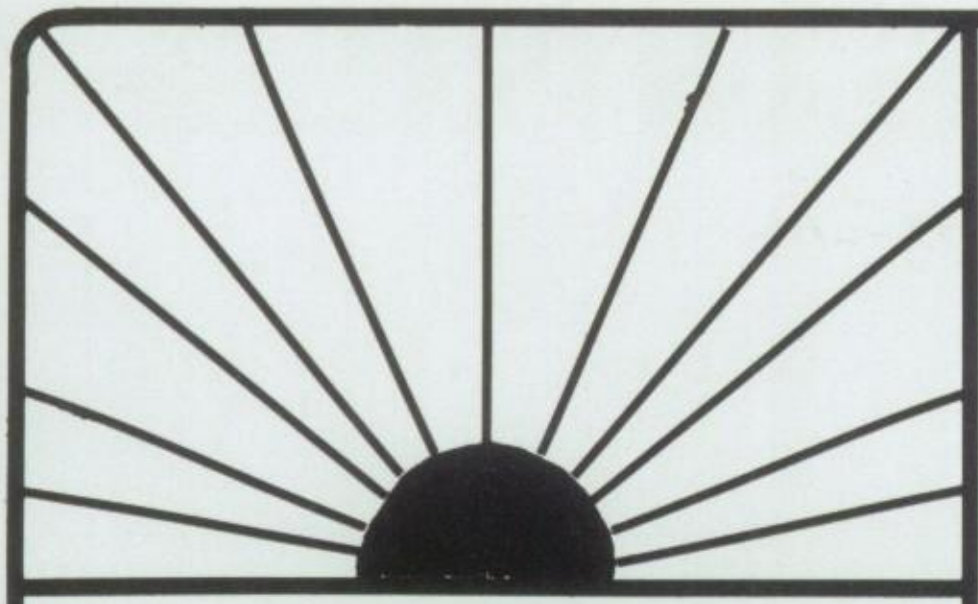

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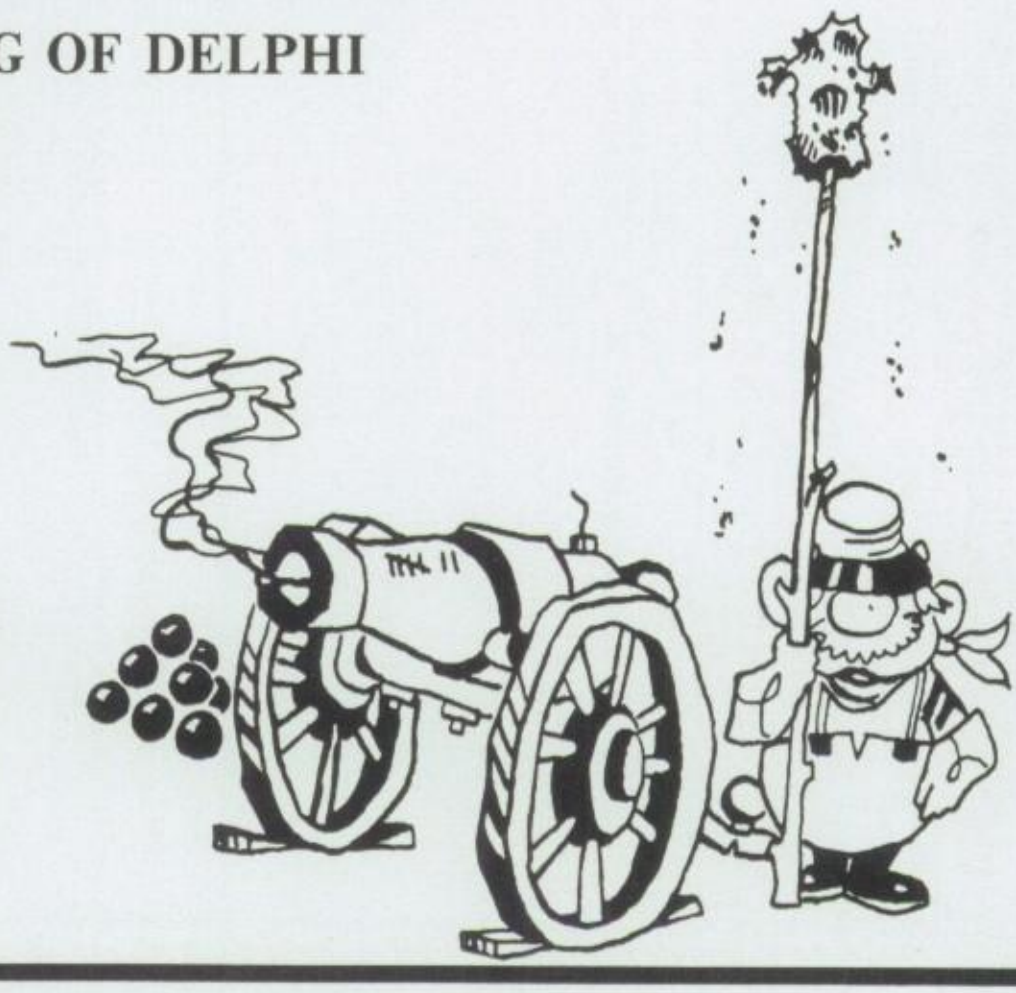

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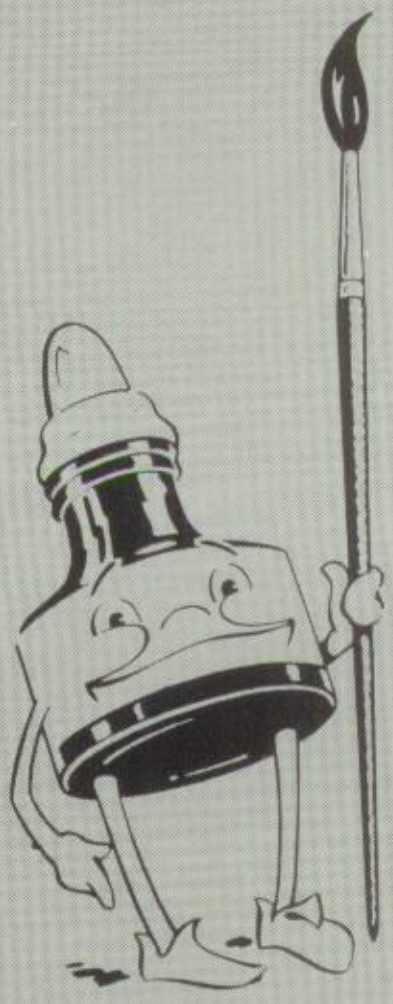

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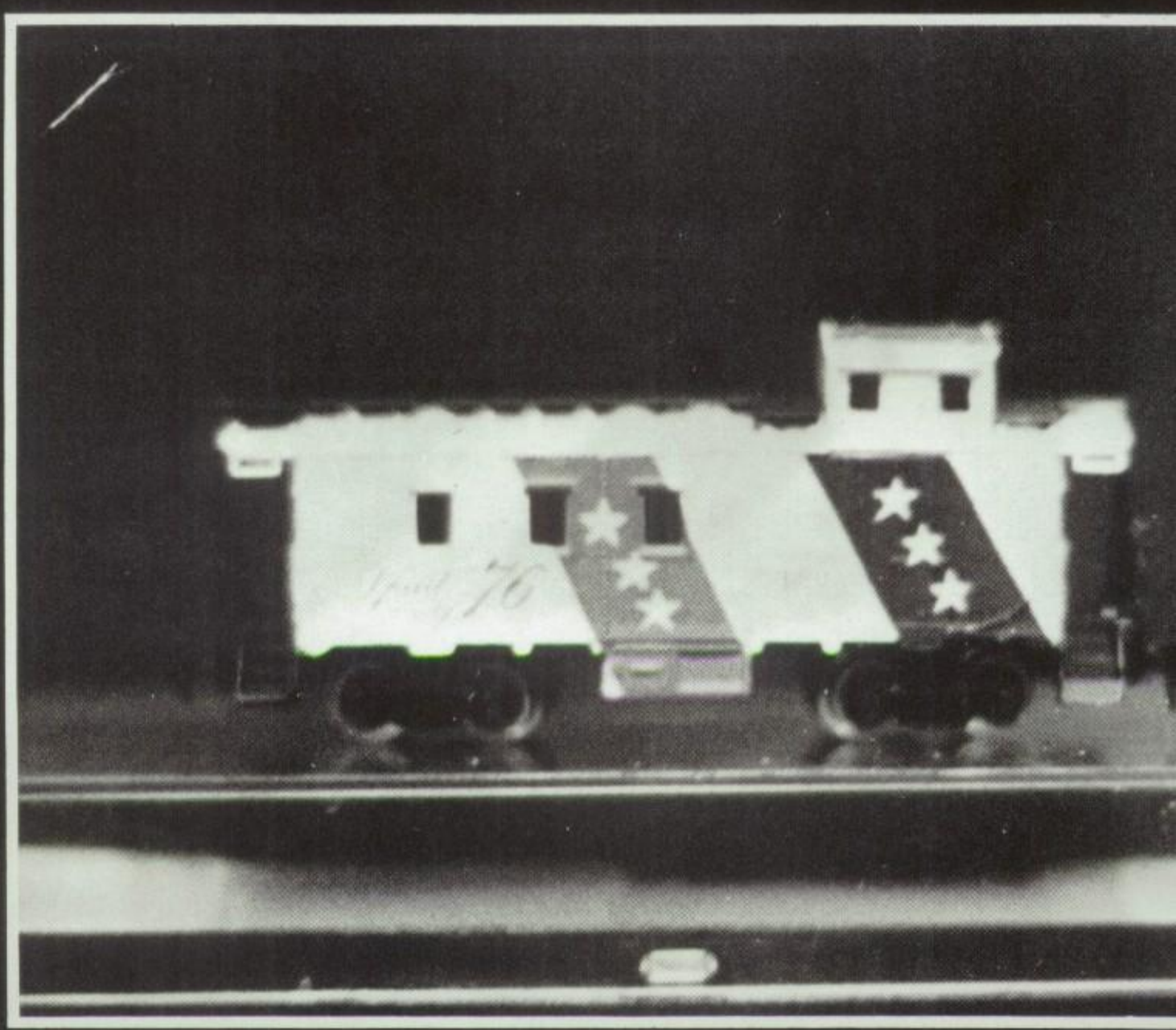

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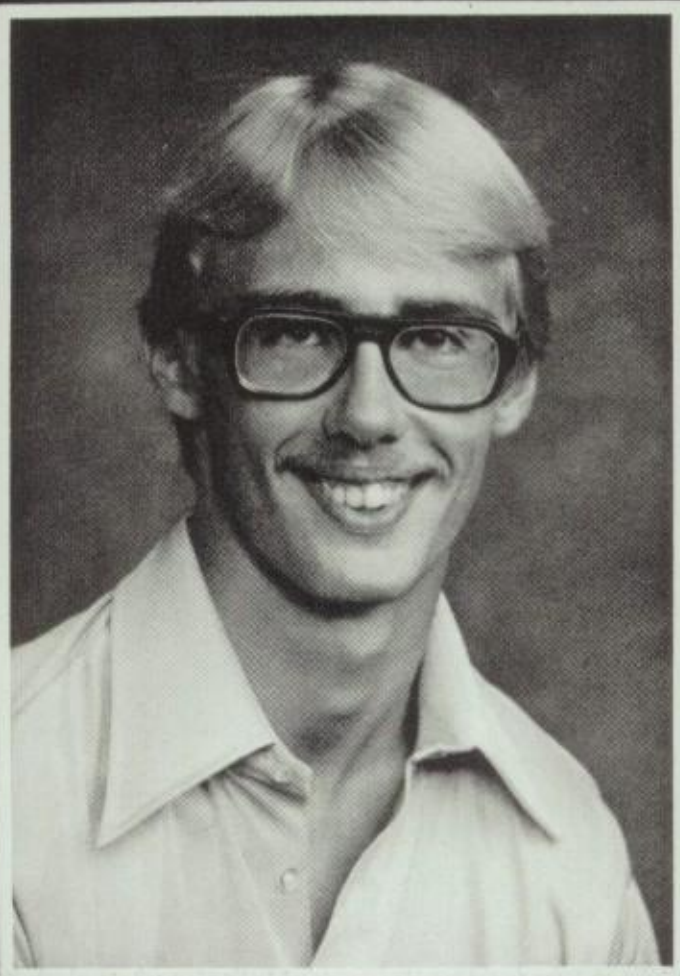

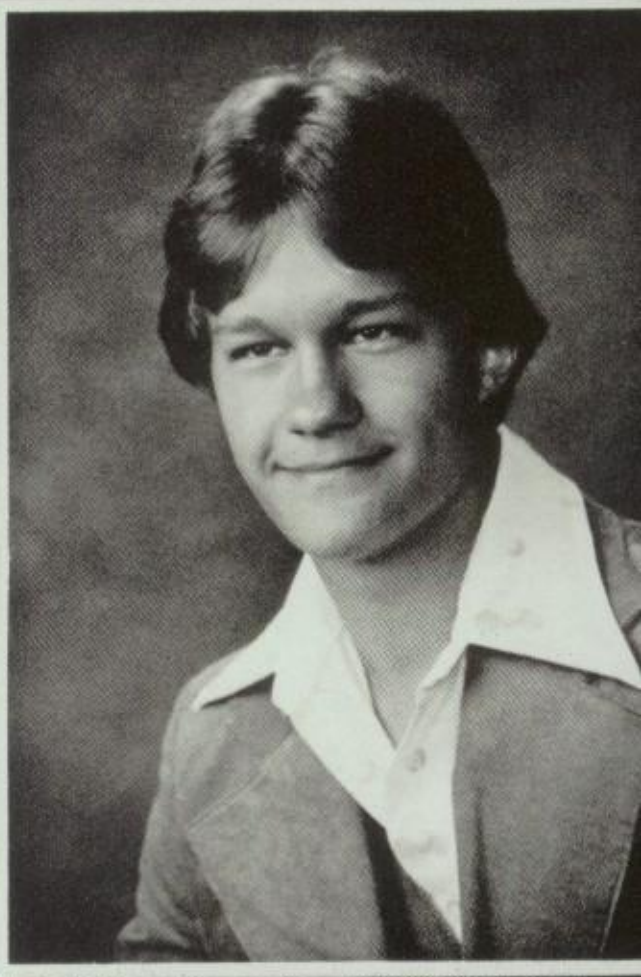

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The 147 members of the class of 1979 have come a long way since that first day of elementary school, but rather than focus on the past they looked toward the future. With just a short time until commencement most of the seniors were seriously considering the possibility of "life after high school." Whether they were thinking about a vocational school, university, job, or some other activity, they knew that their choice would play a serious part in the direction their life would take. Many of the students had been preparing for their post-high school careers since they were freshmen by taking courses related to the area of study they were interested in. Others decided what they wanted to do for the rest of their life a few years later. Others were still uncertain when they walked down the aisle to receive their diplomas.

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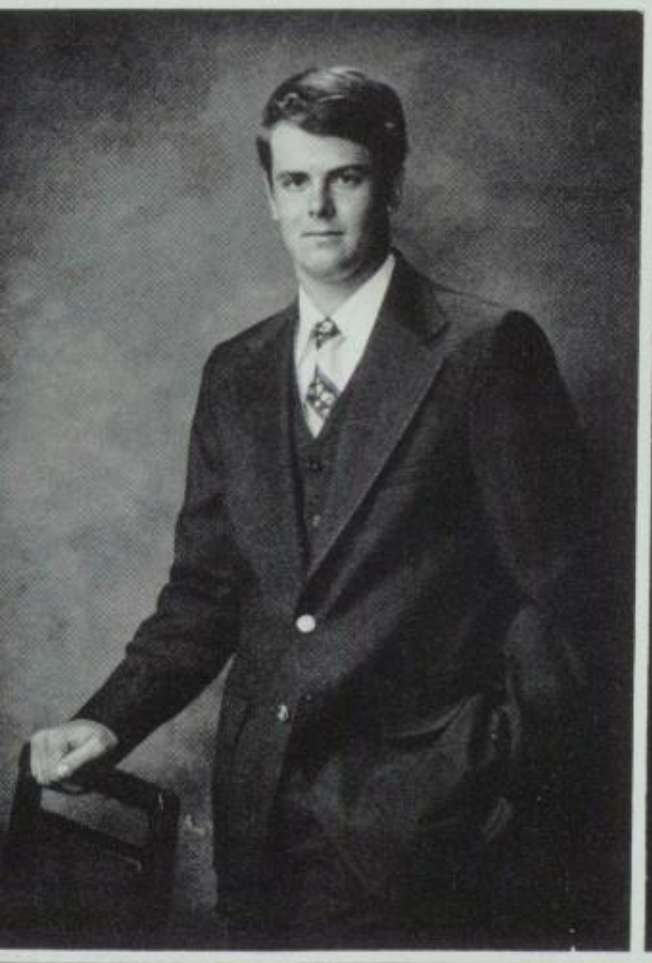

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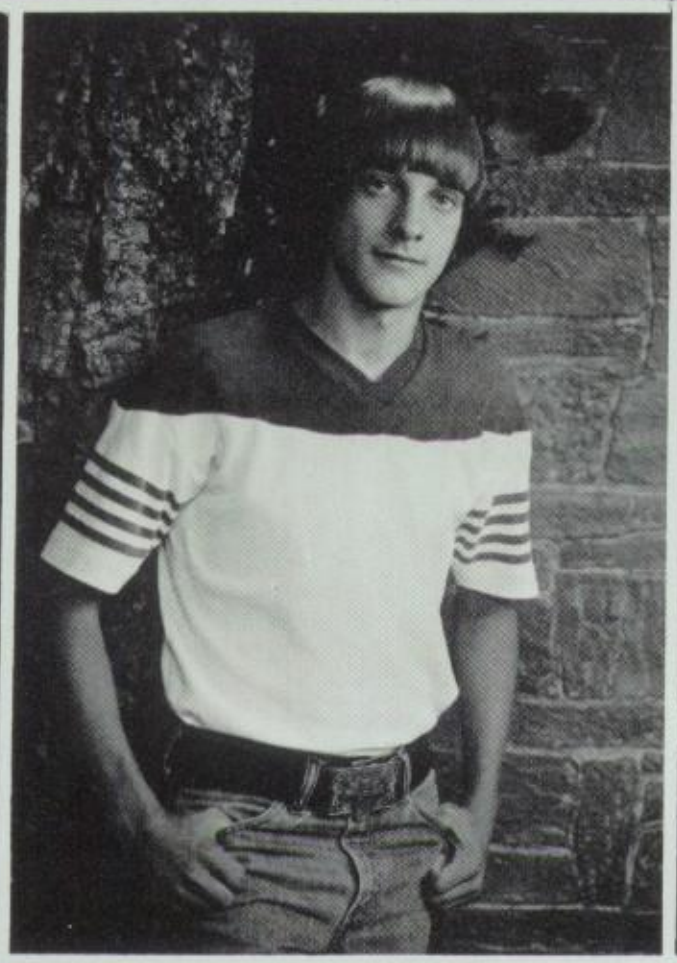

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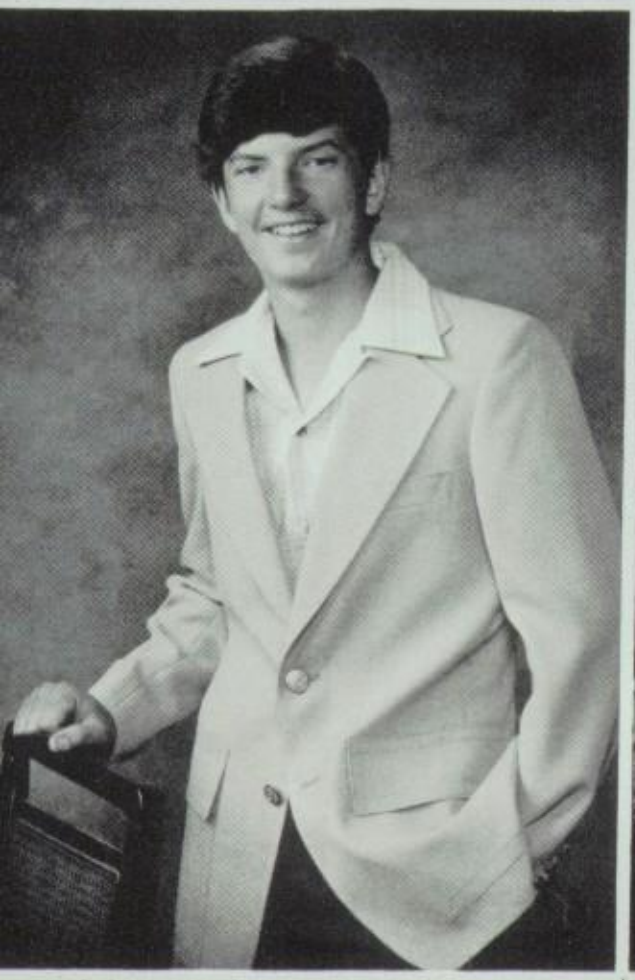

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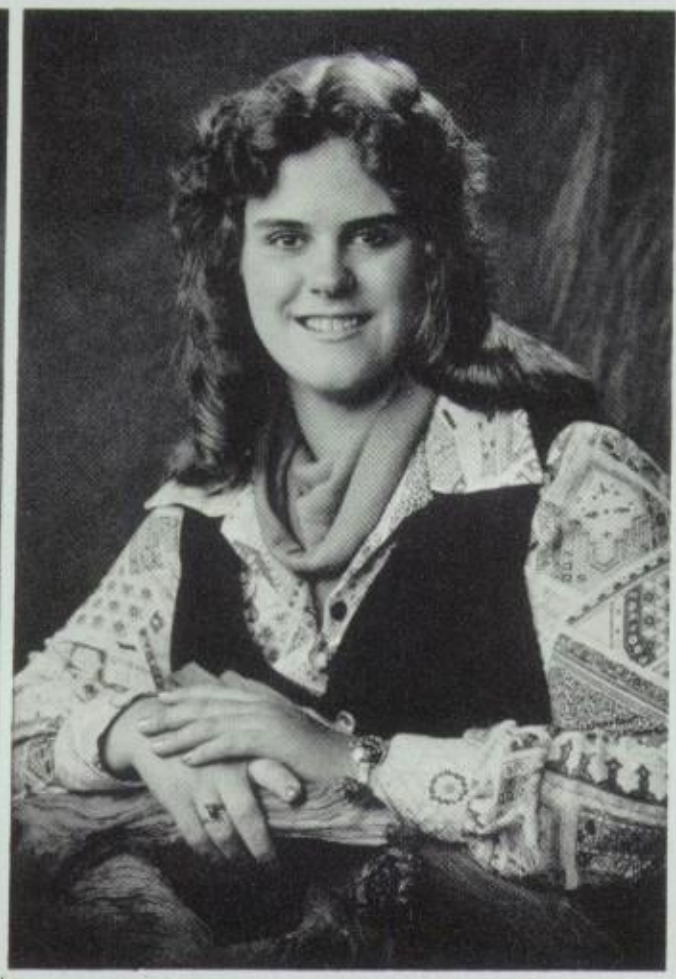

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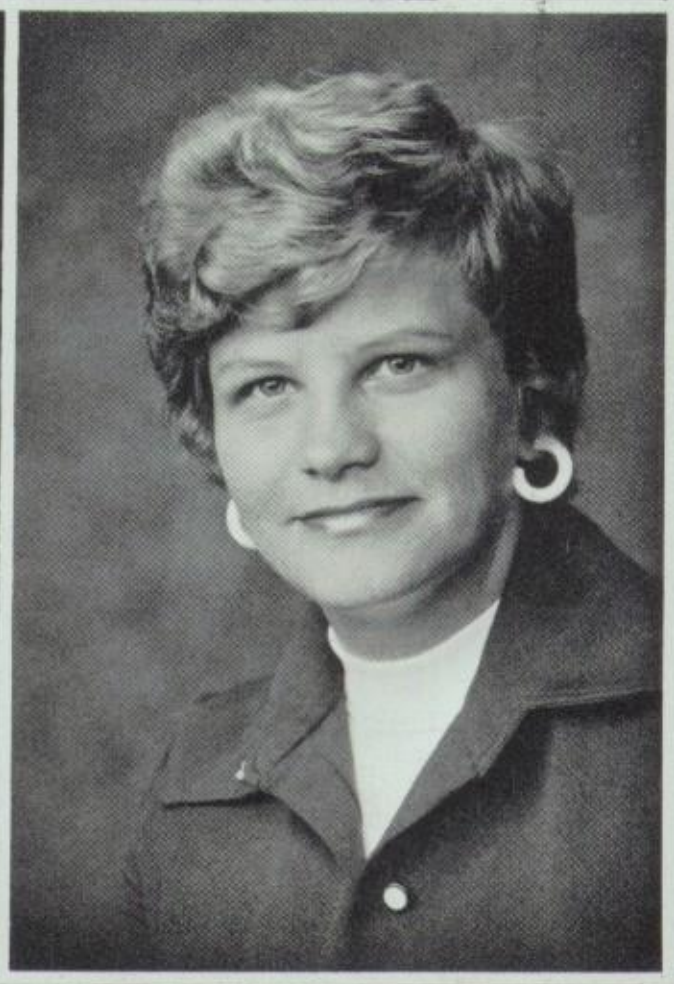

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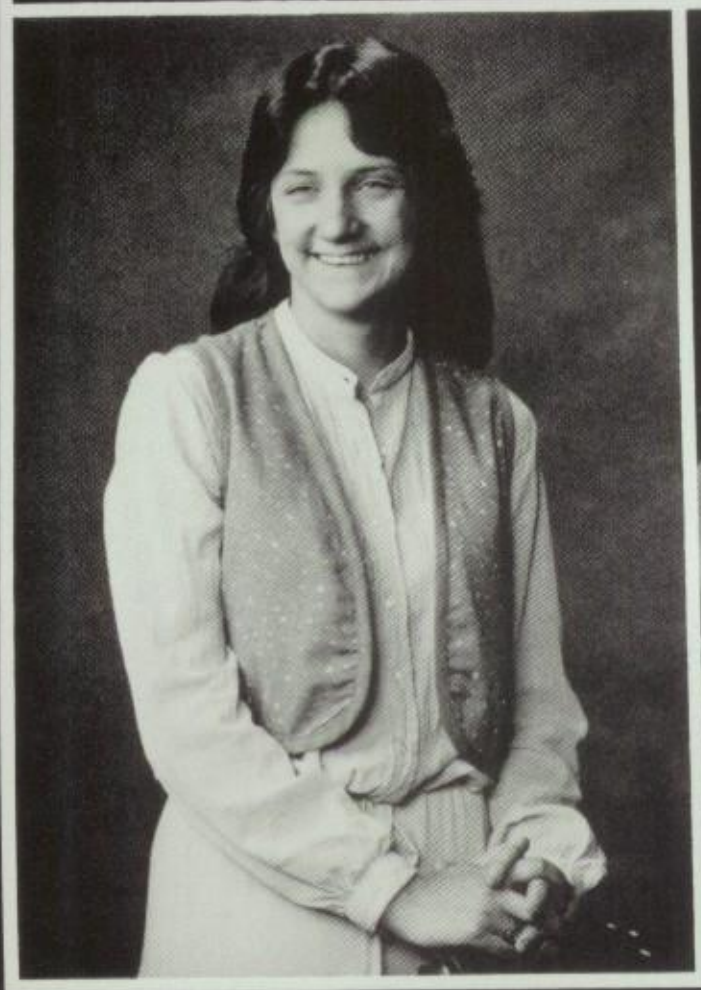

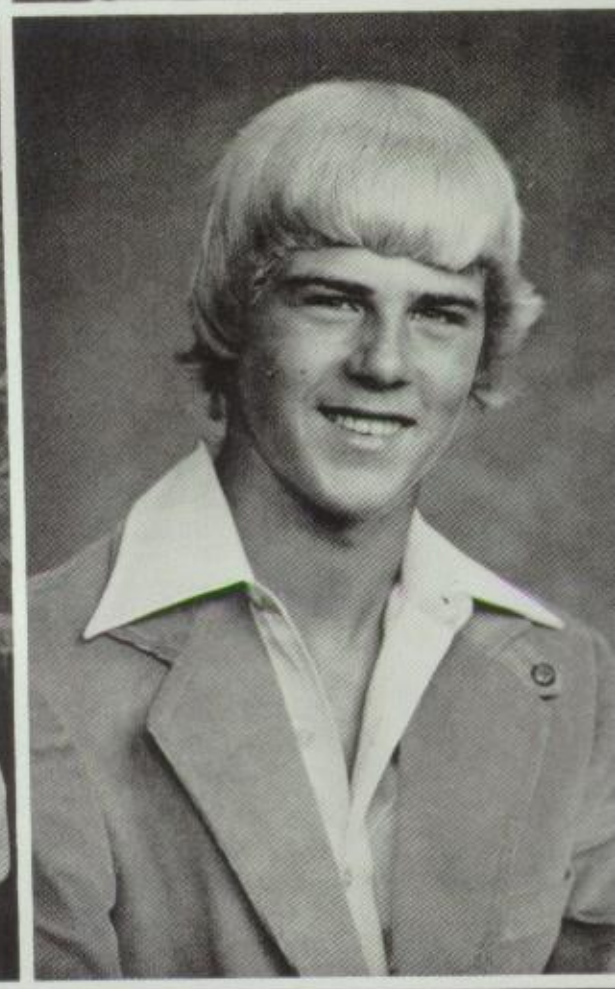

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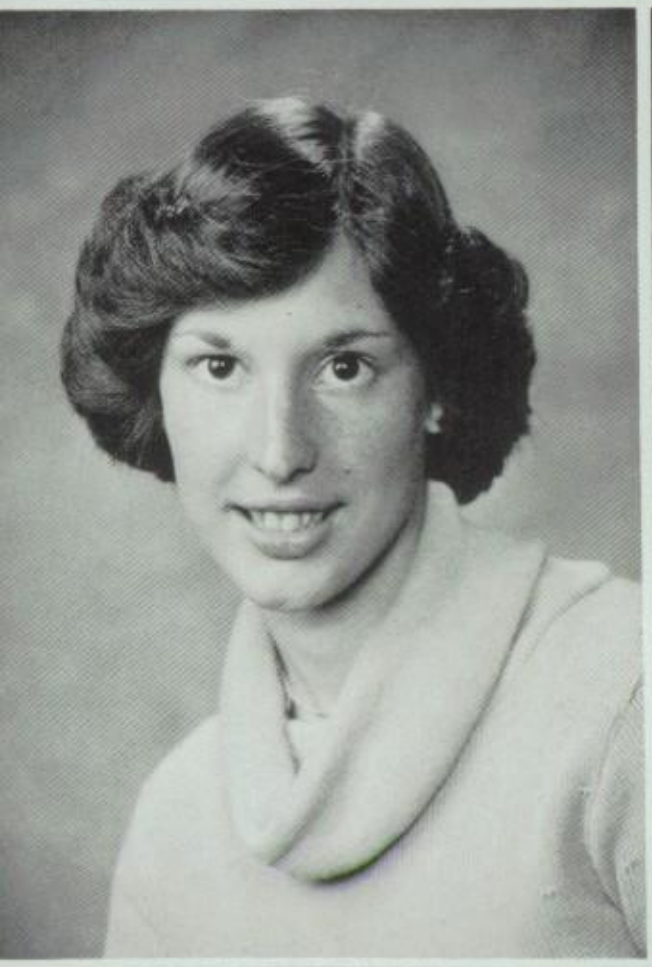

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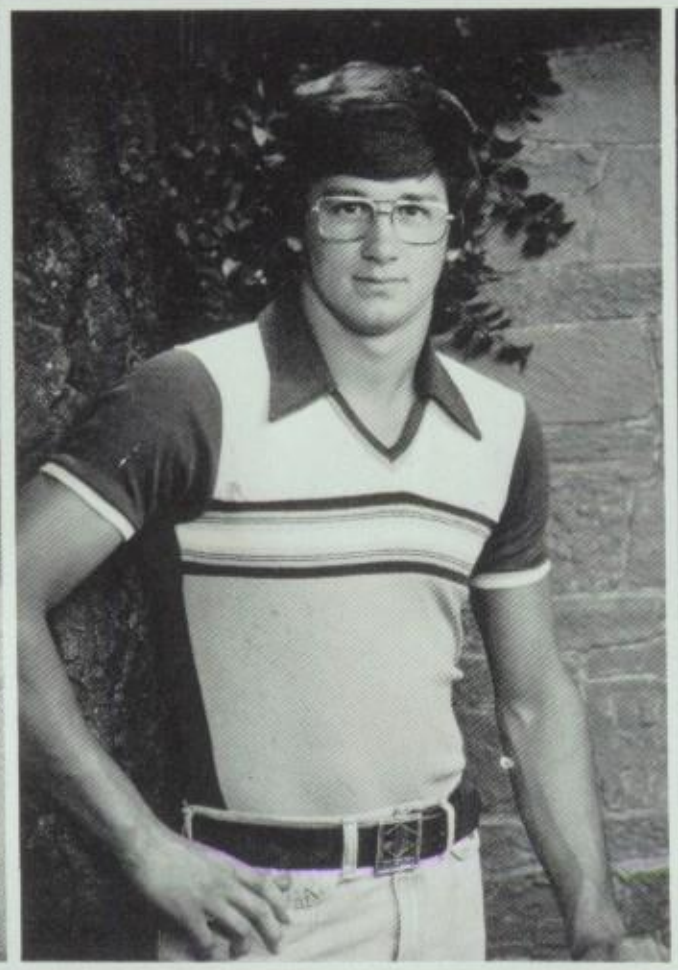

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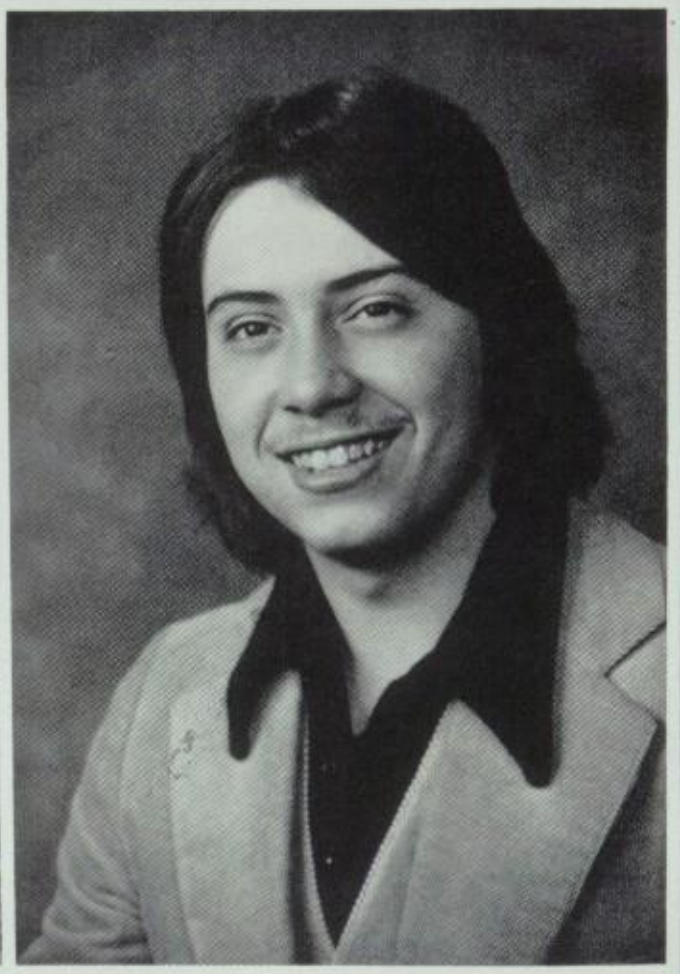

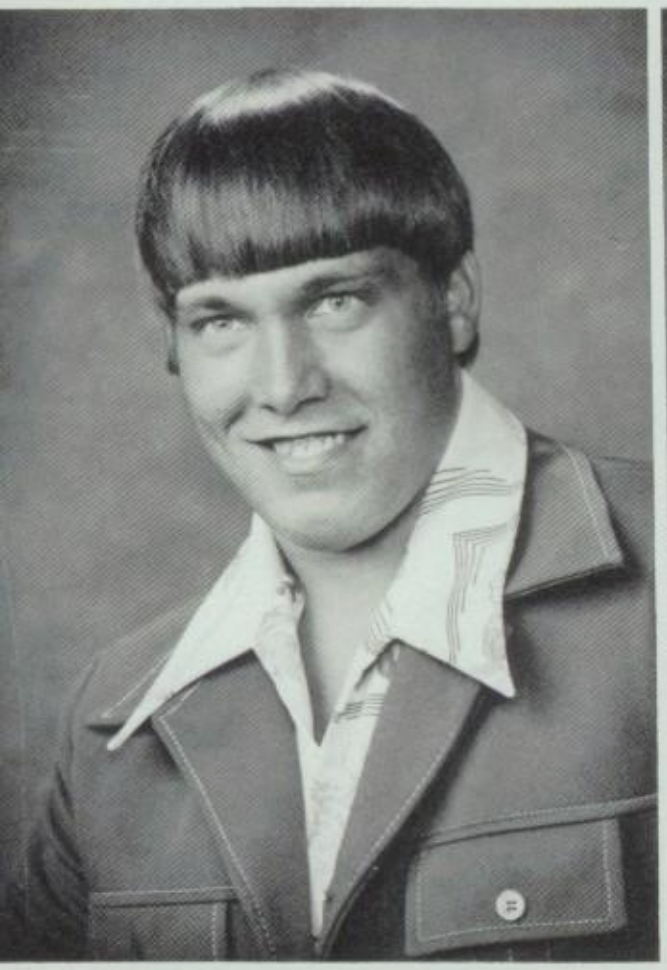

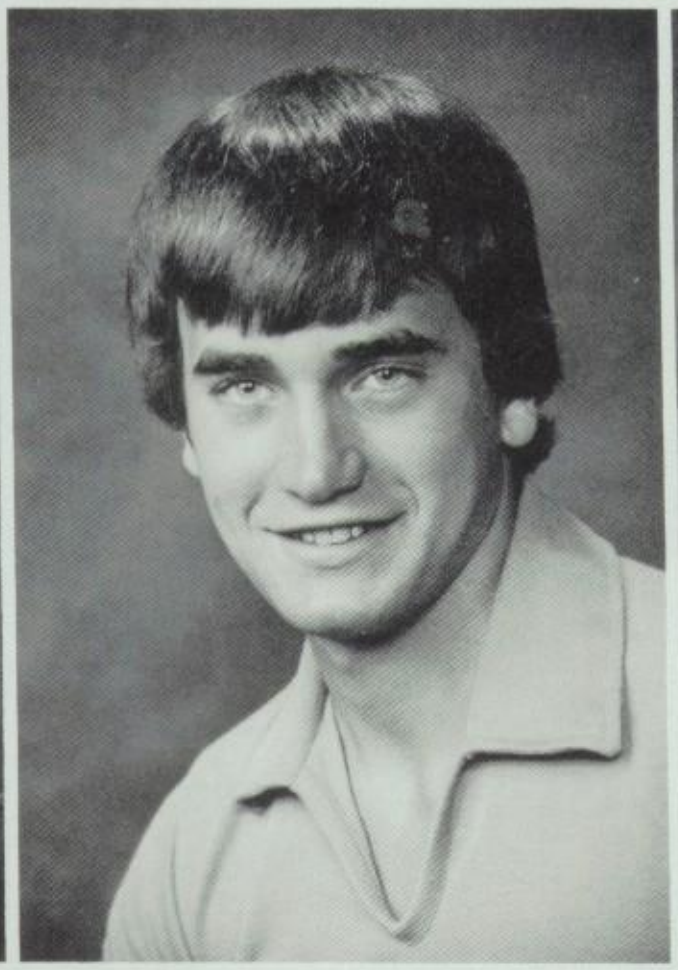

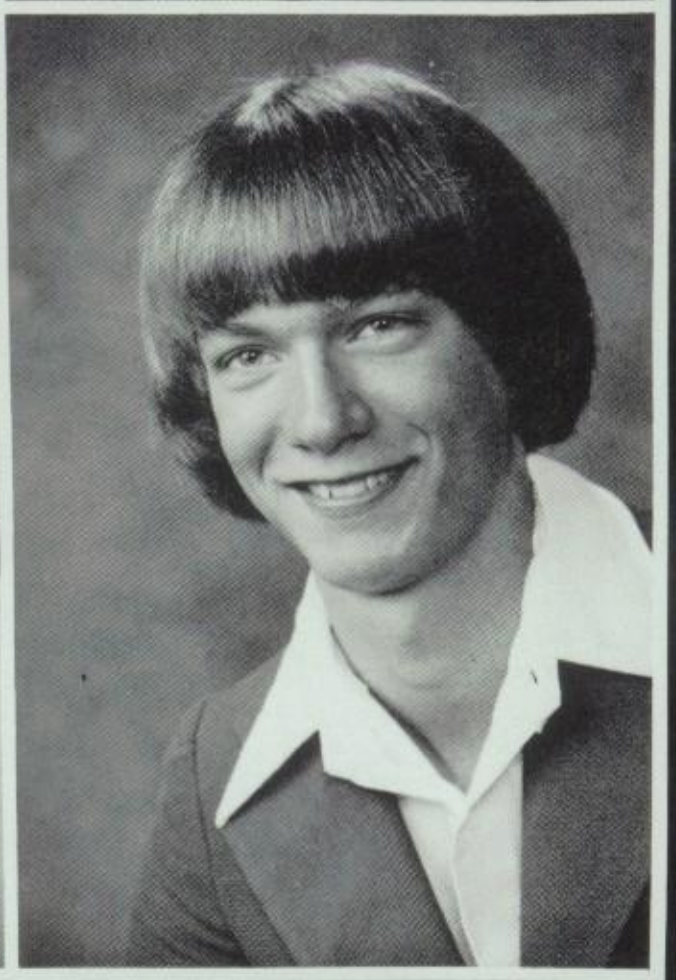

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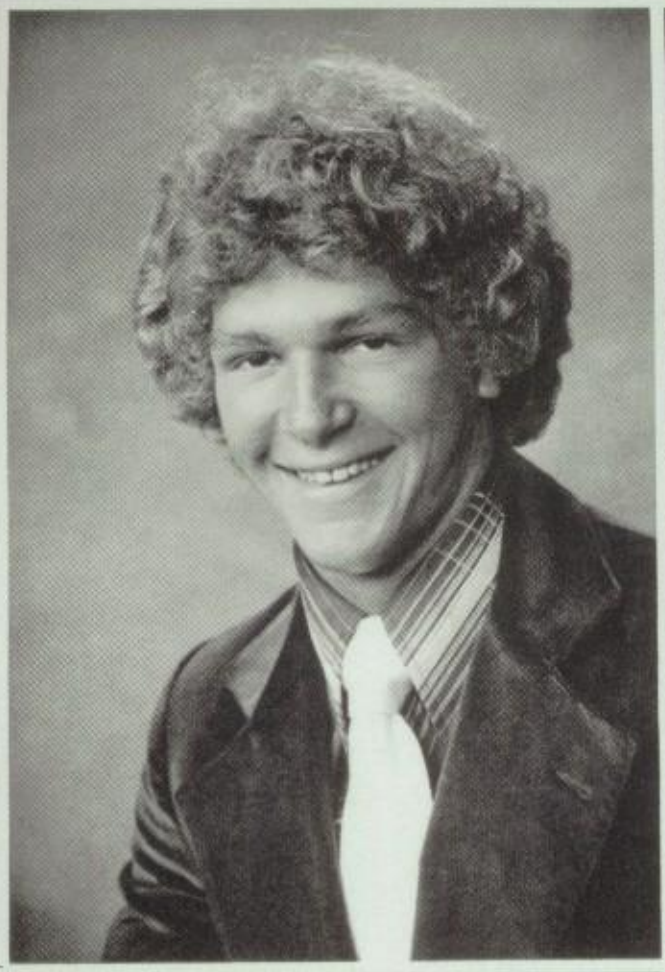

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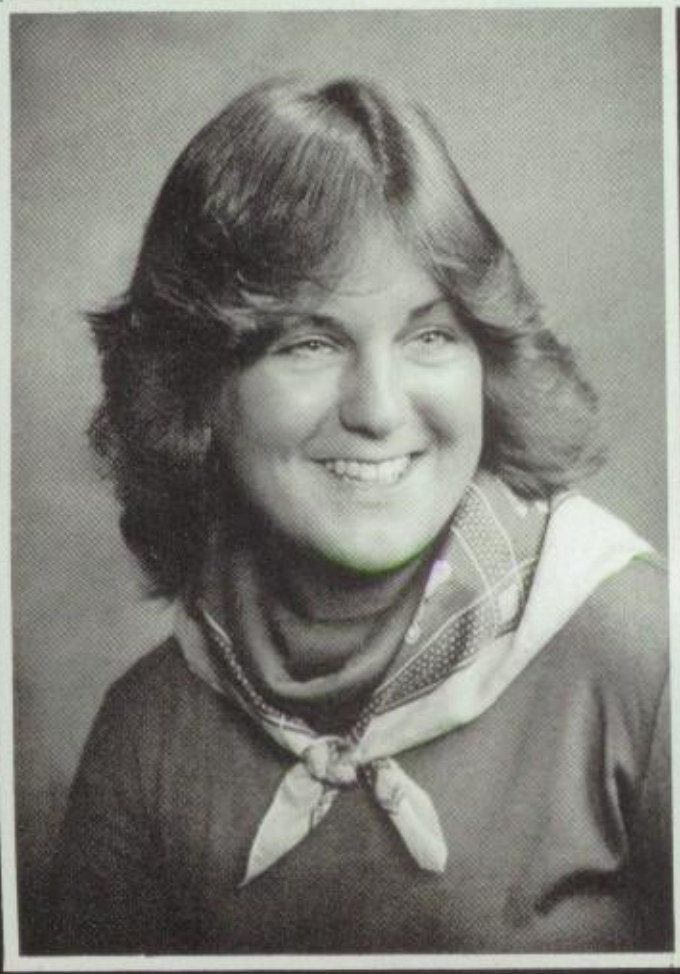

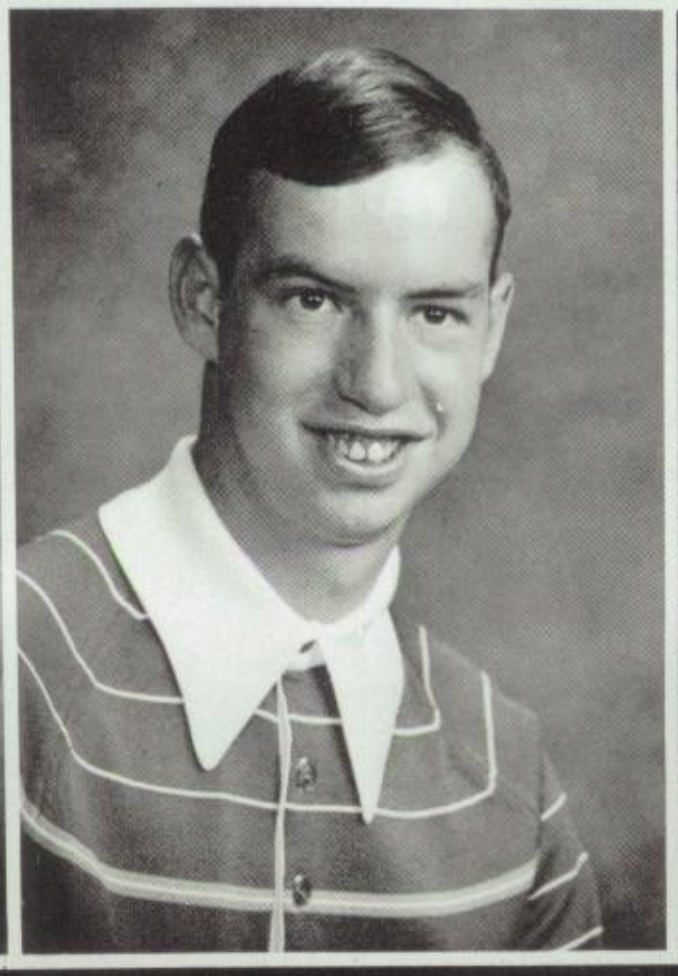

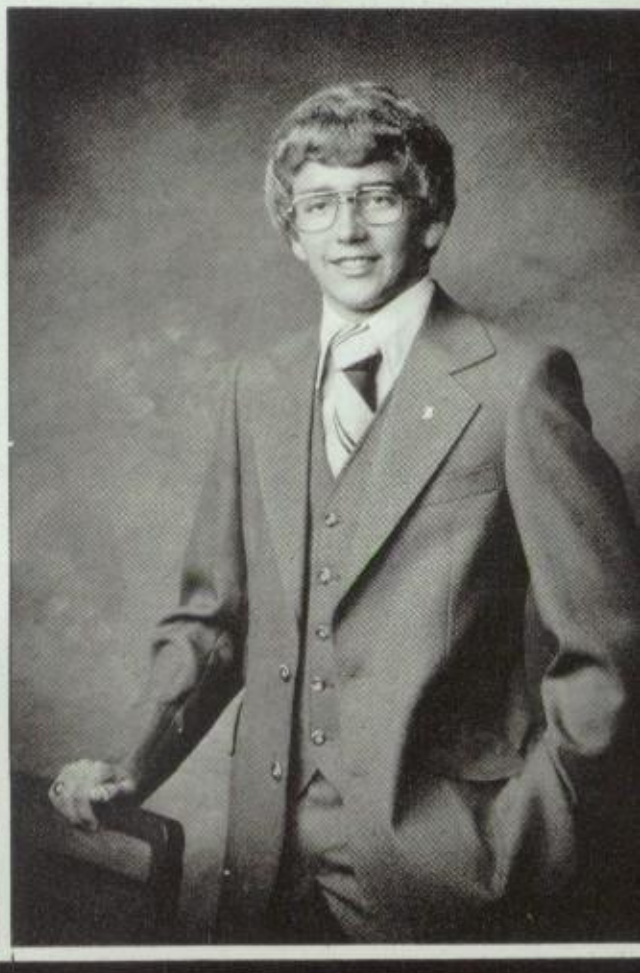

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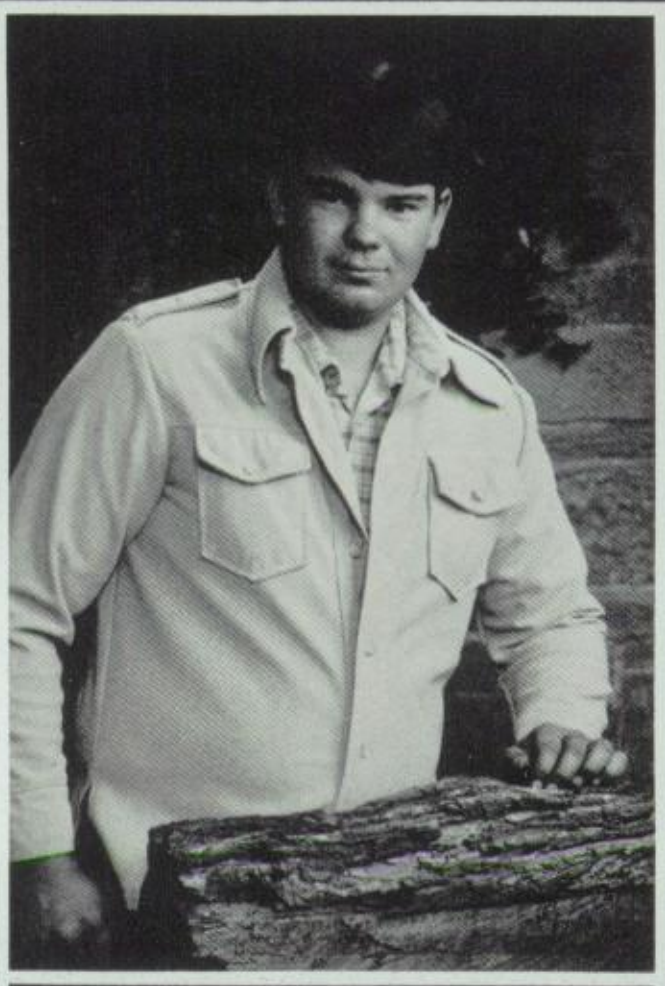

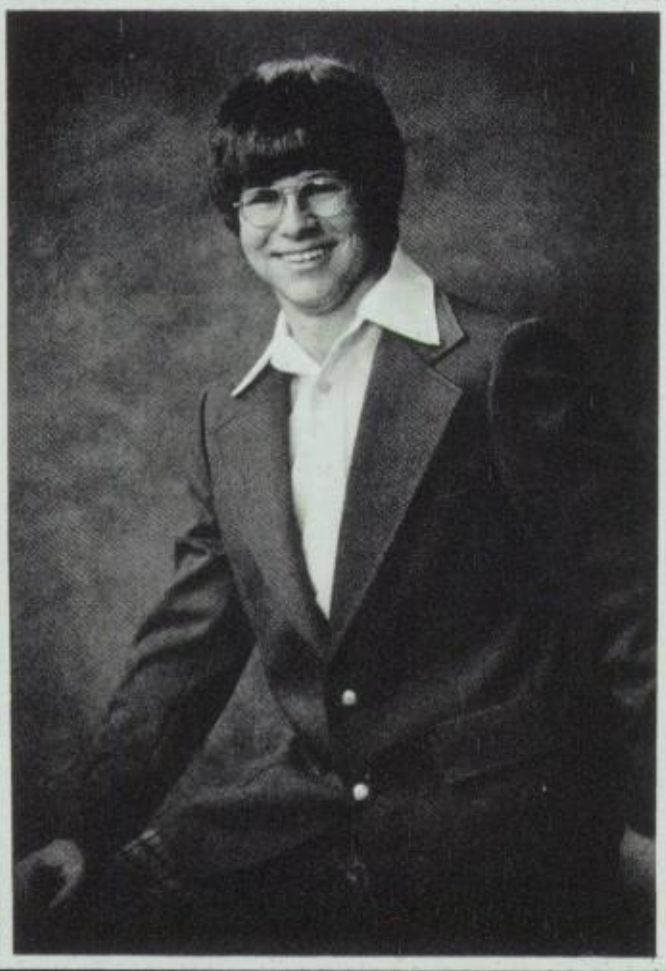

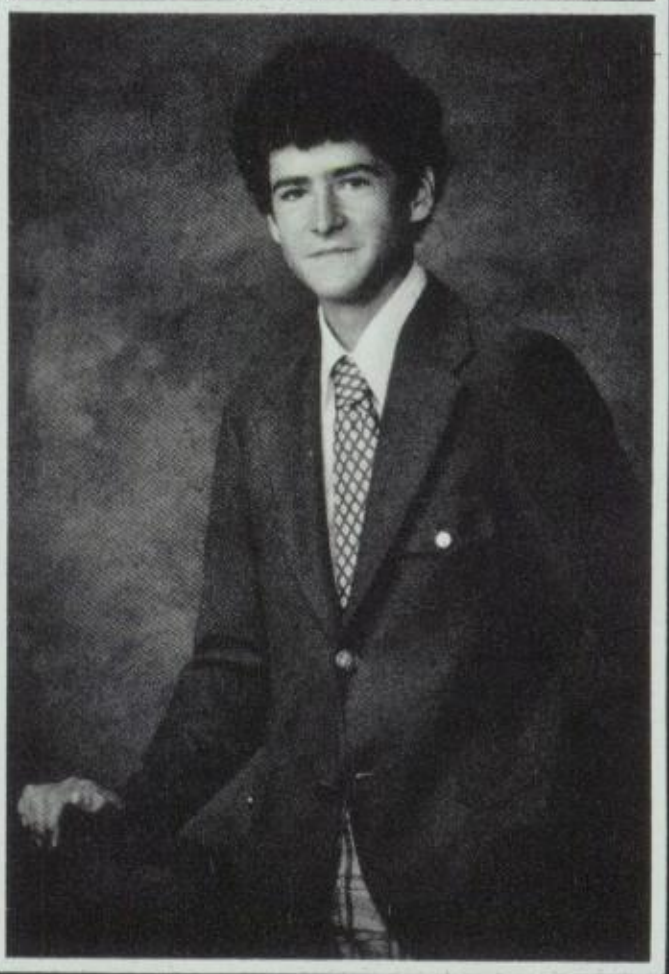

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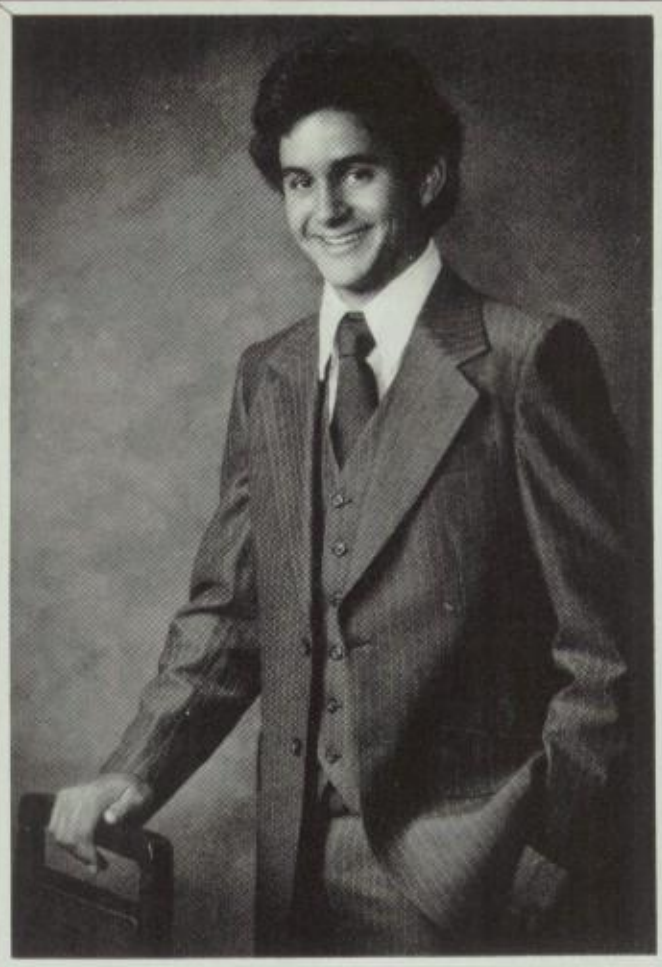

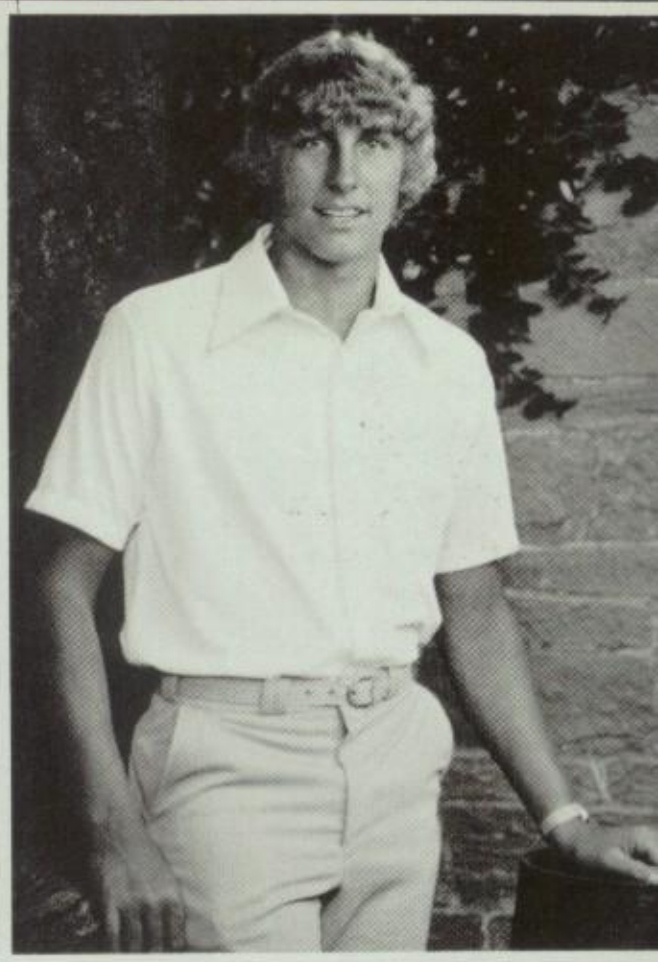

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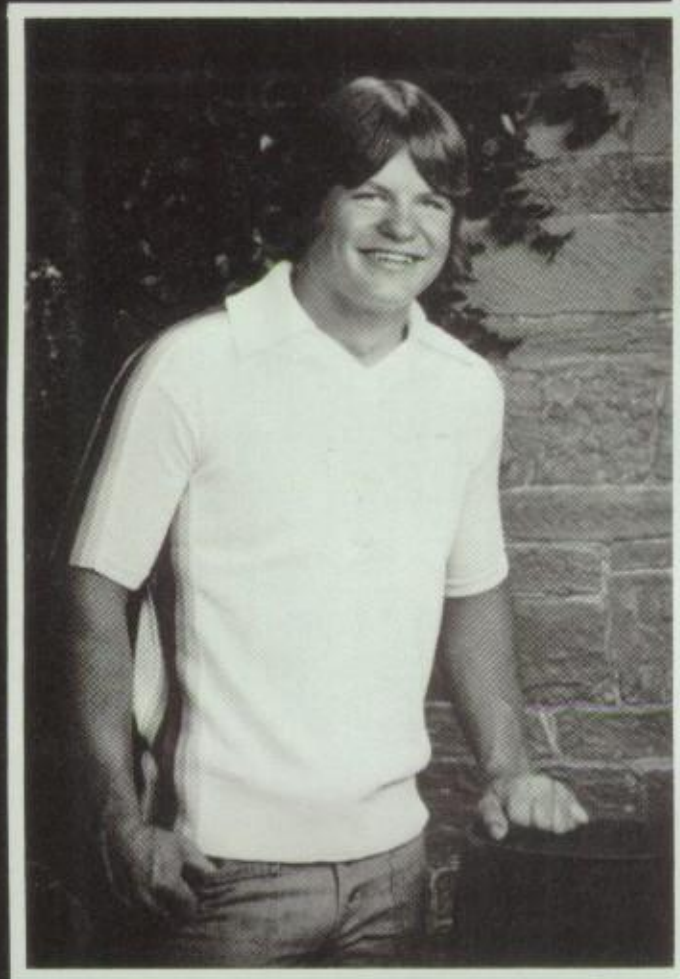

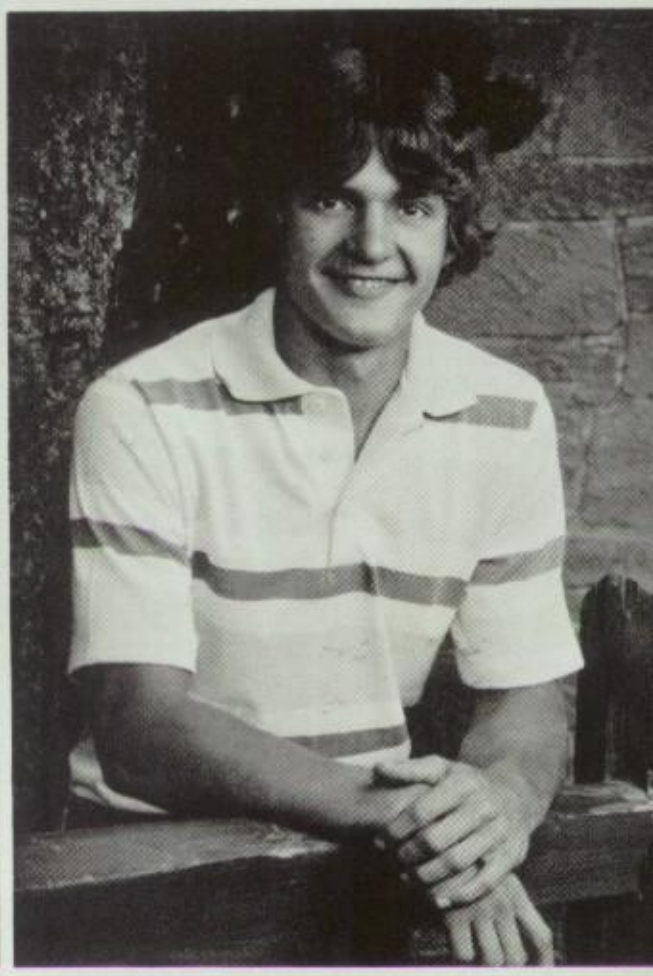

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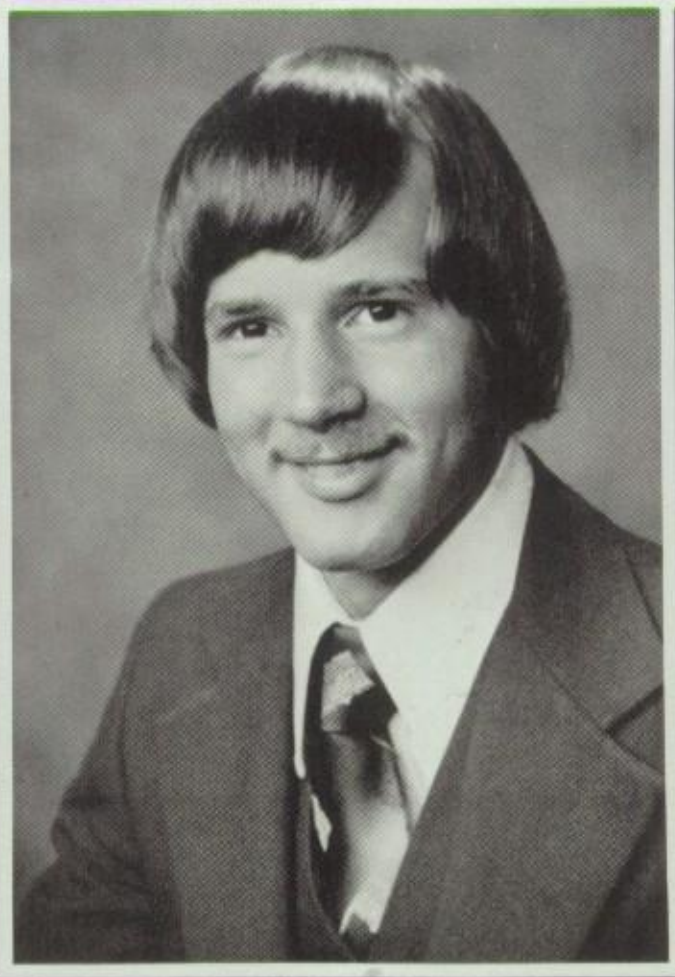

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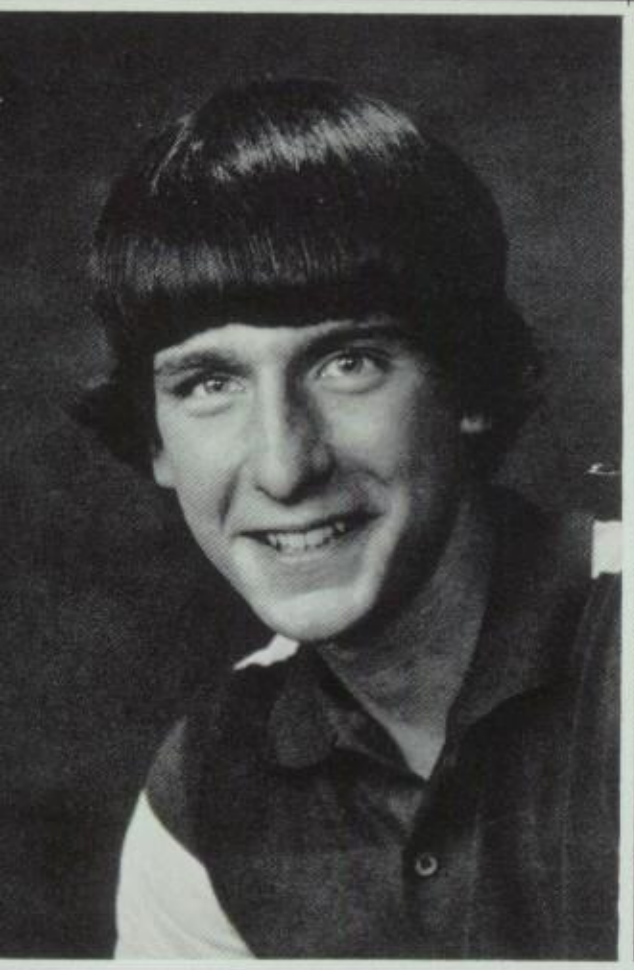

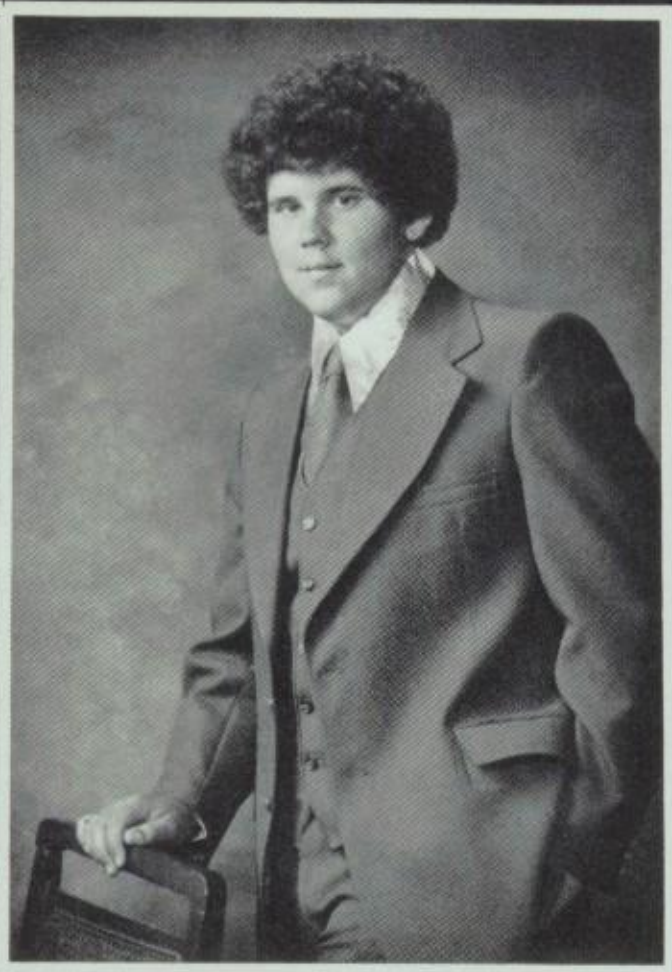

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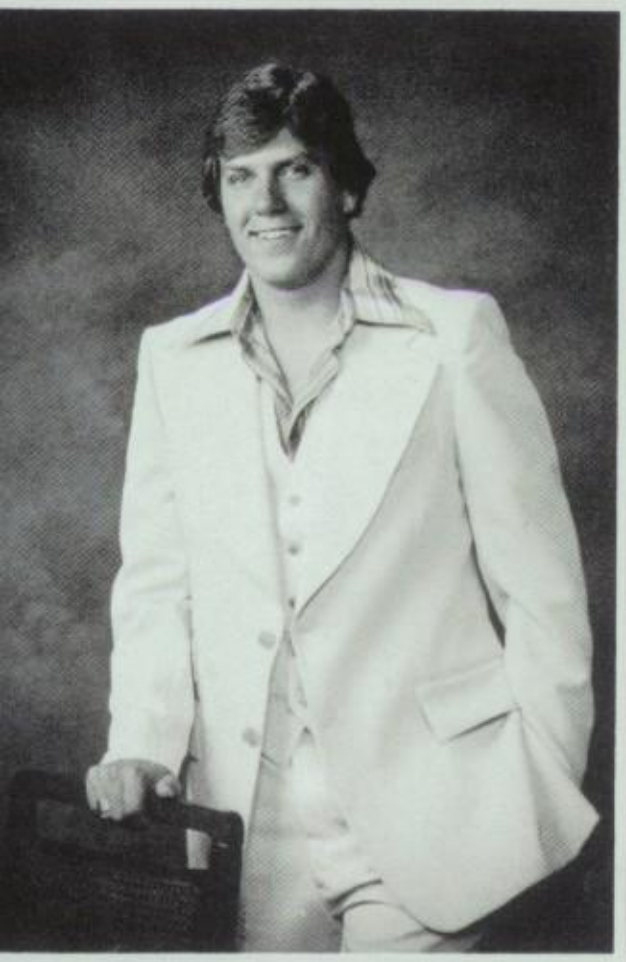

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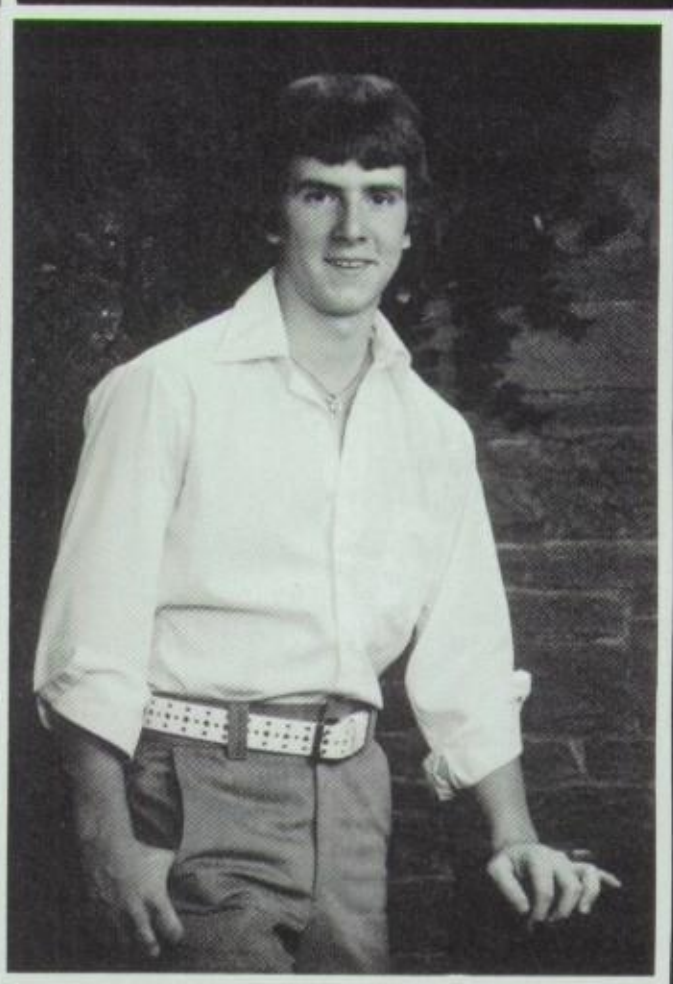

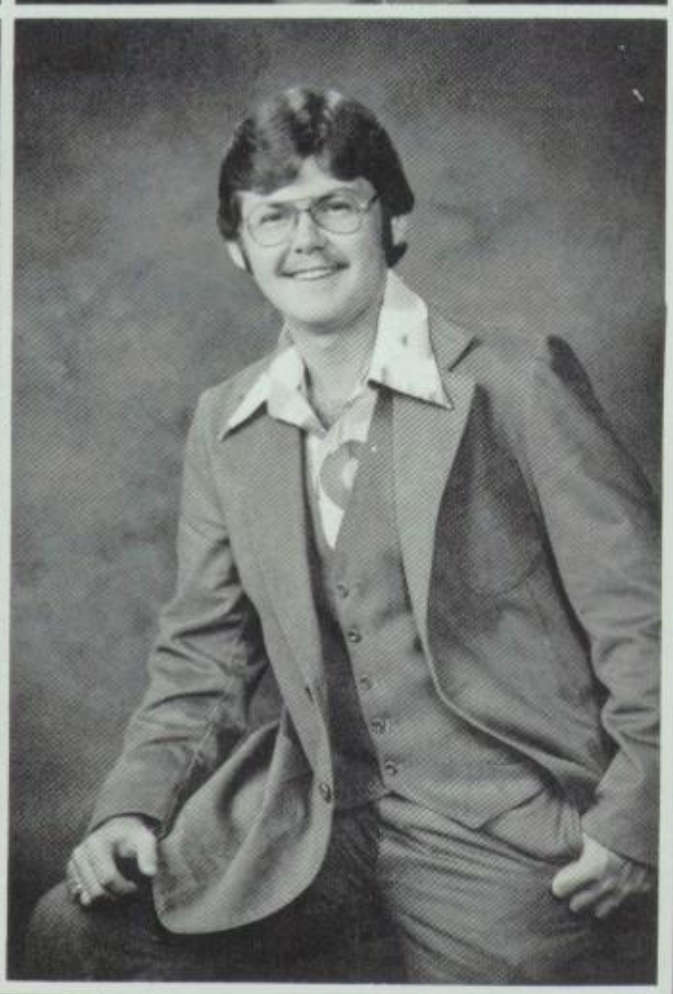

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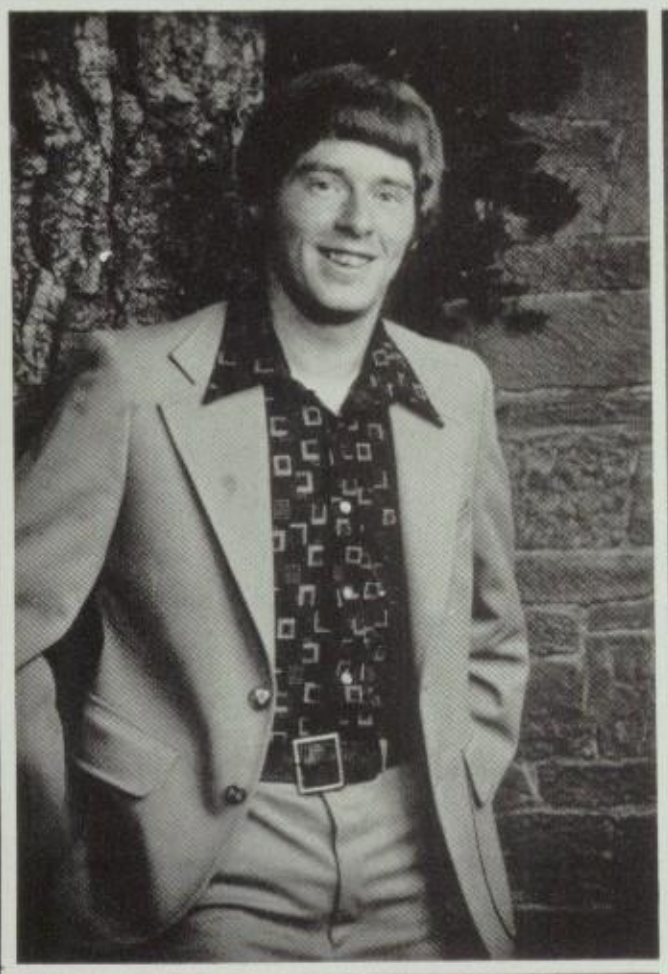

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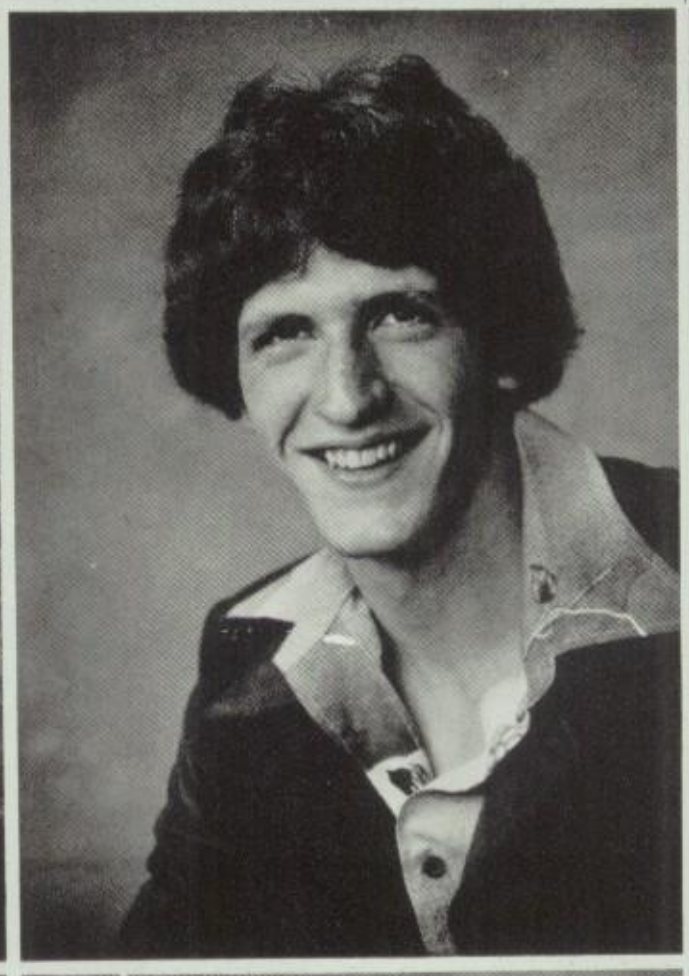

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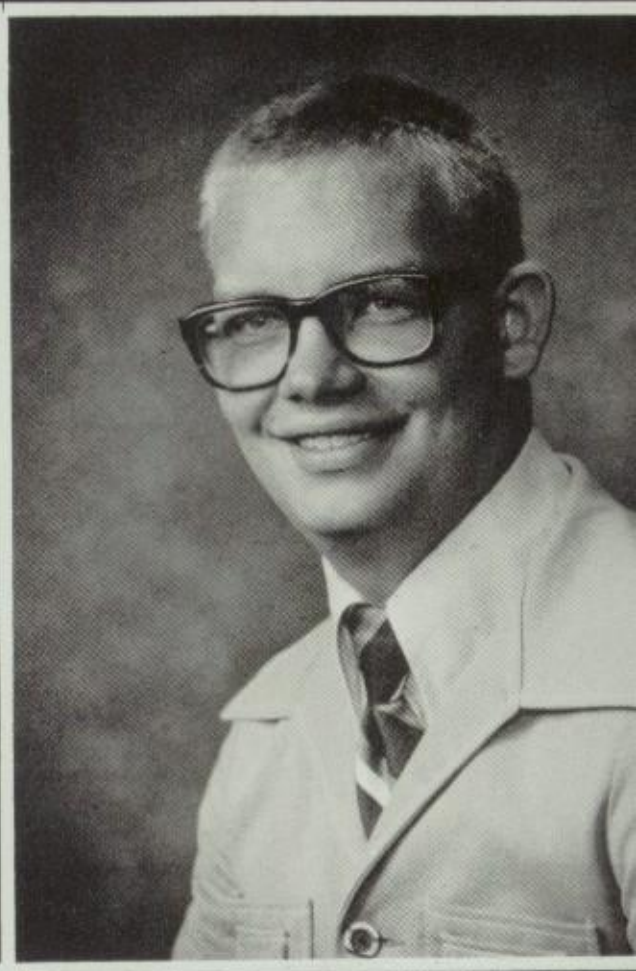

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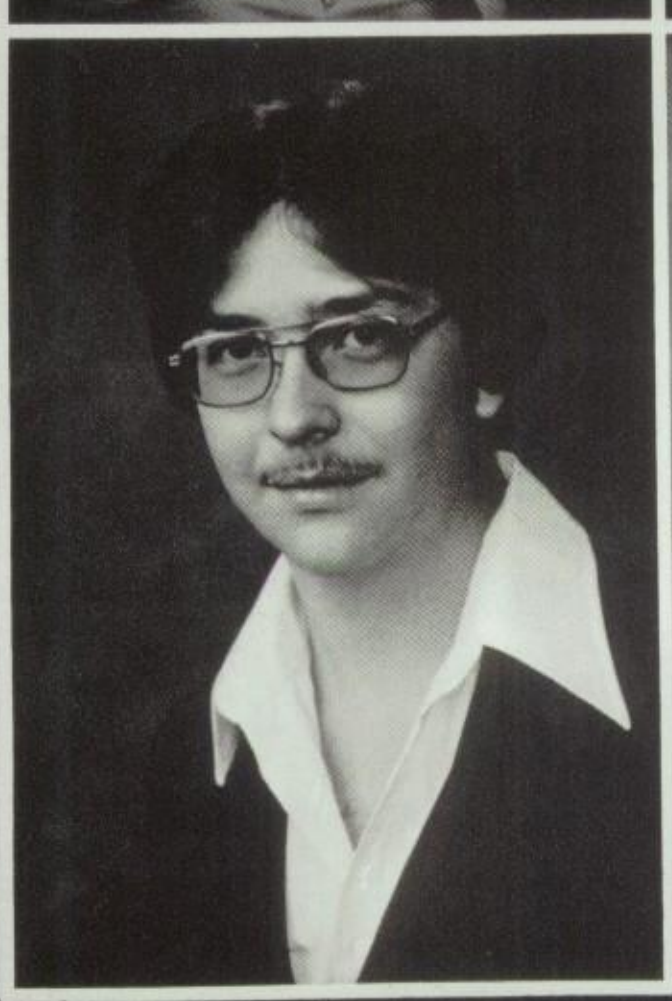

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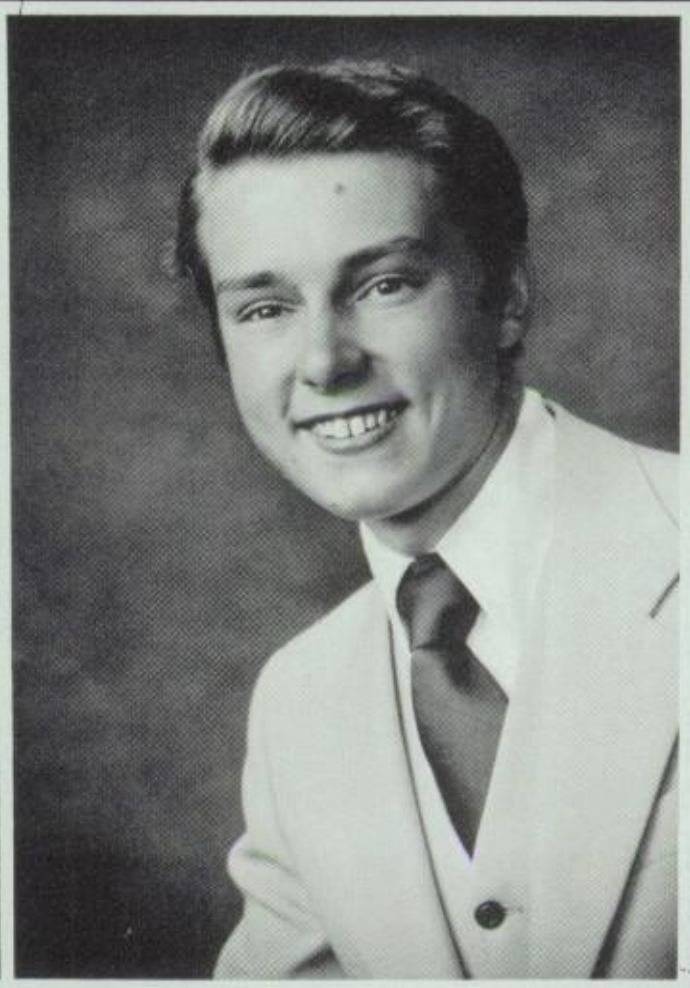

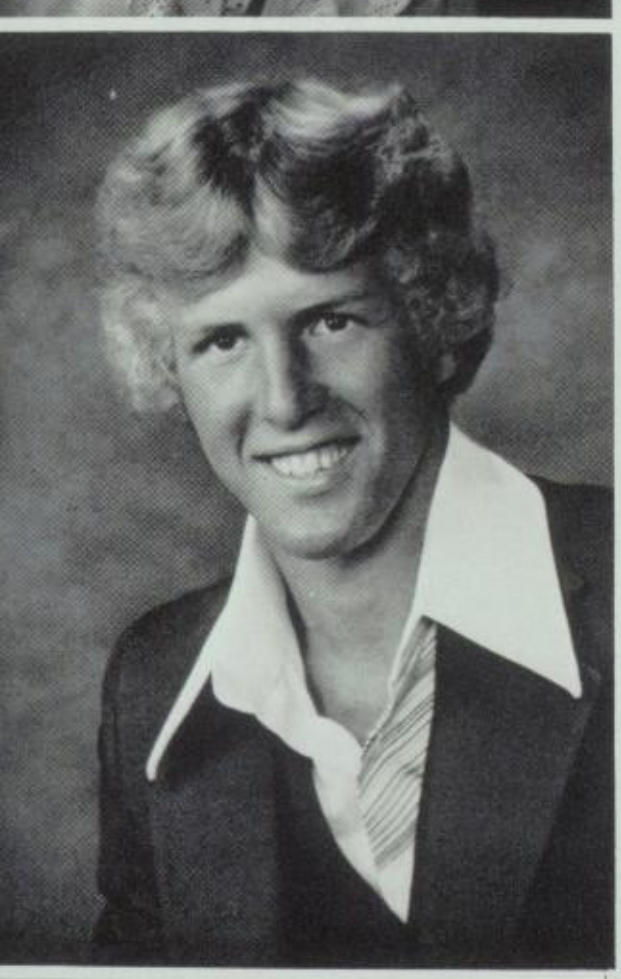

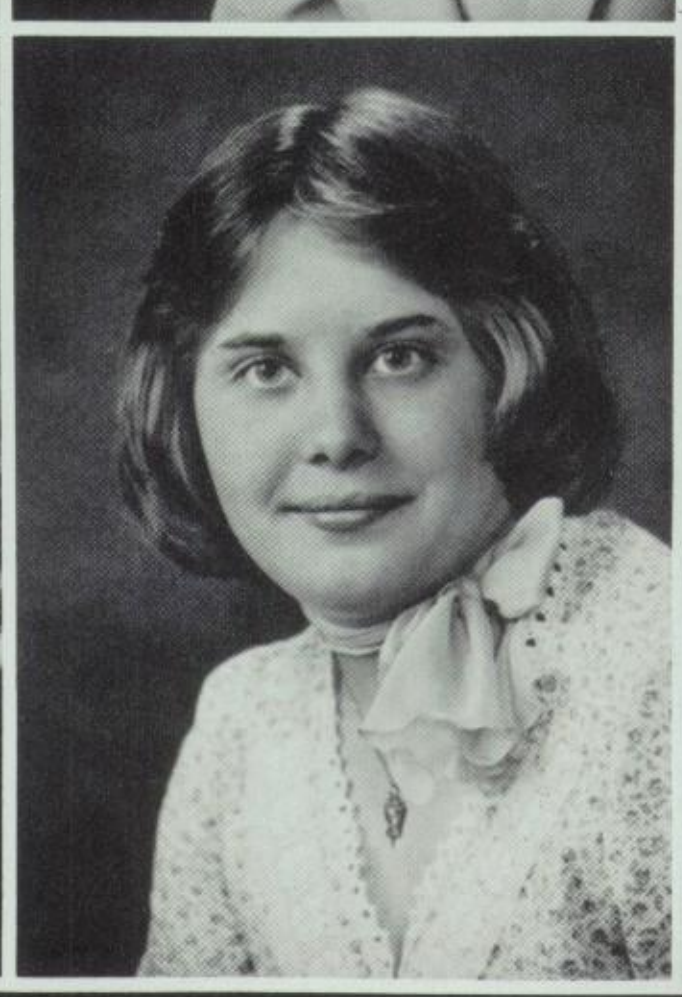

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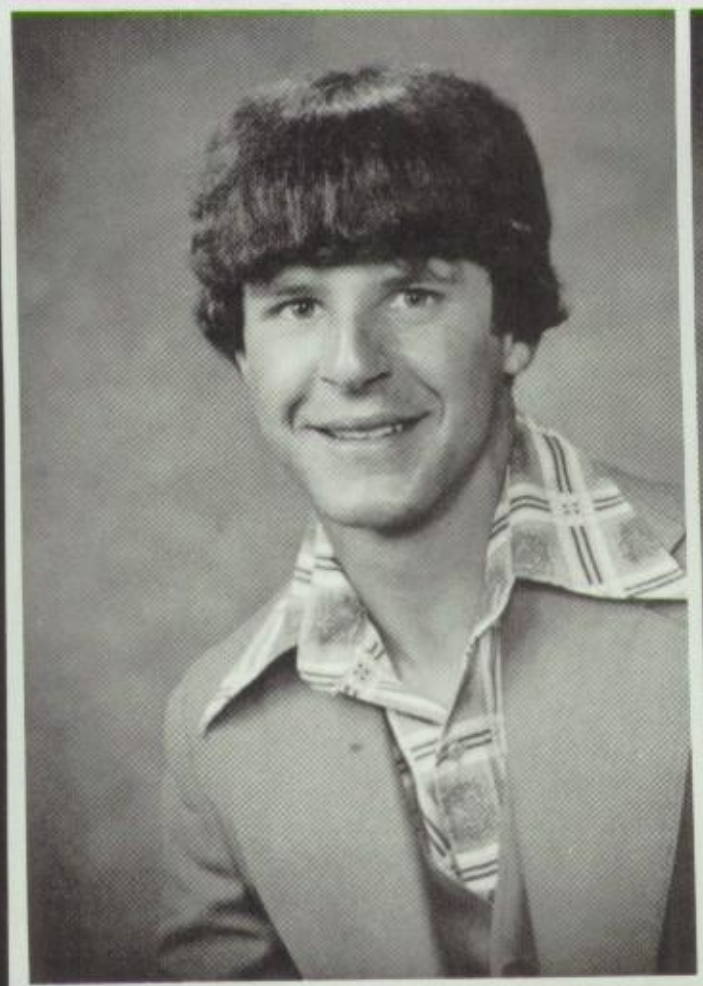

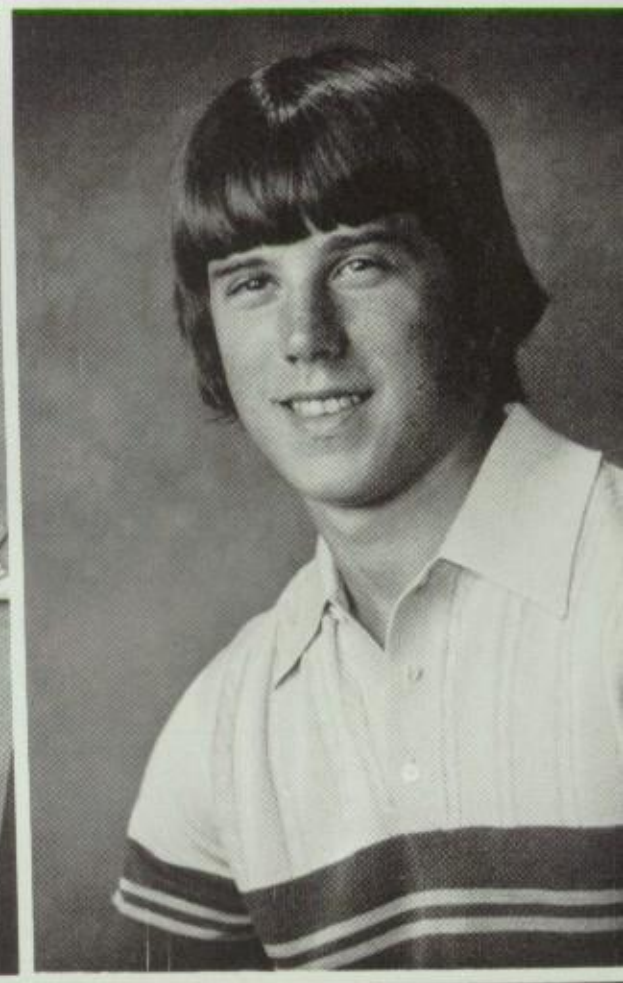

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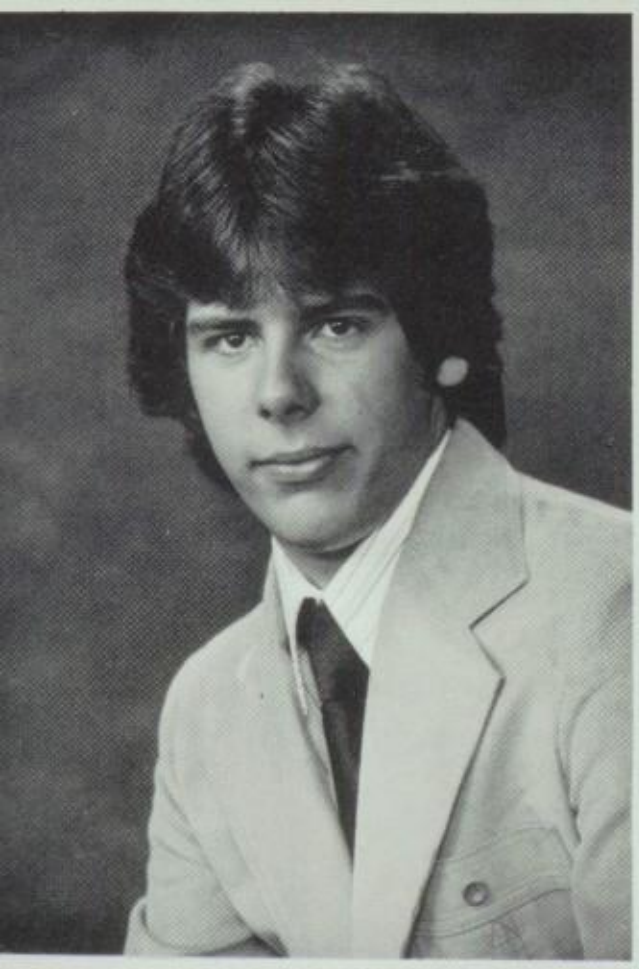

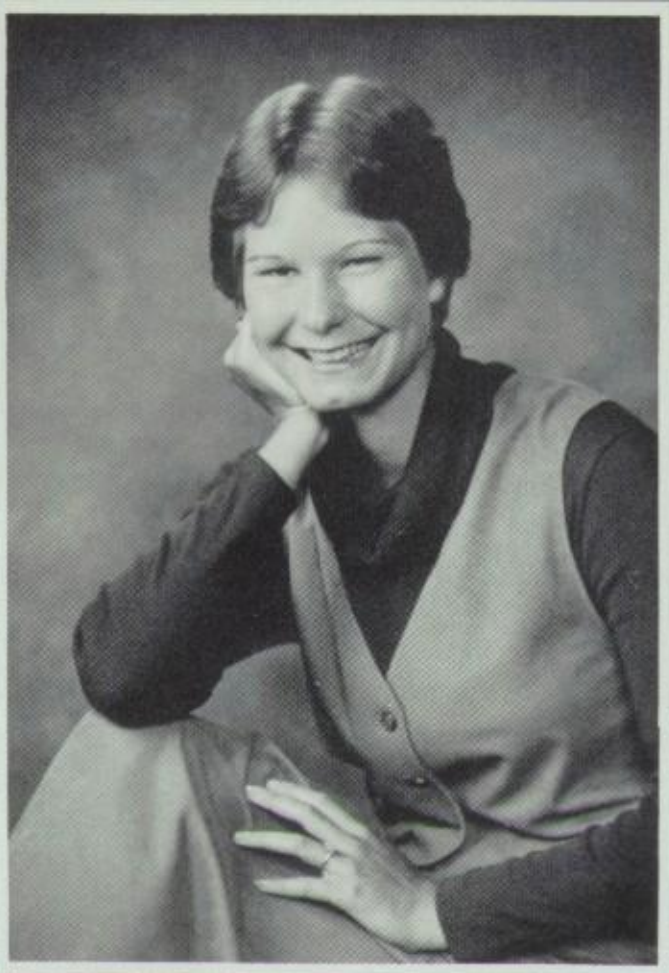

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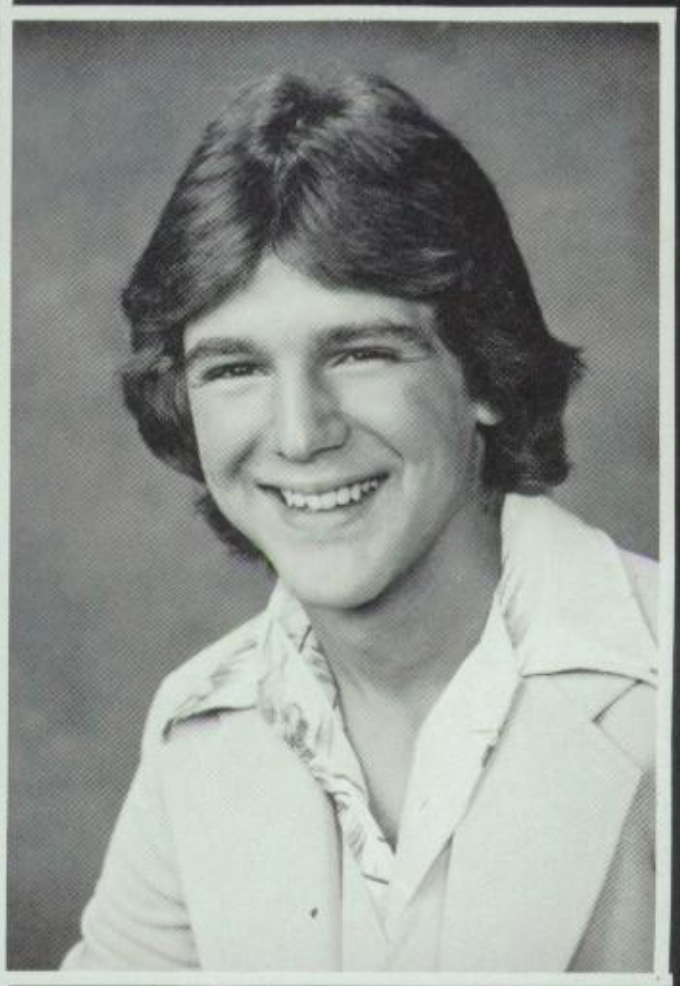

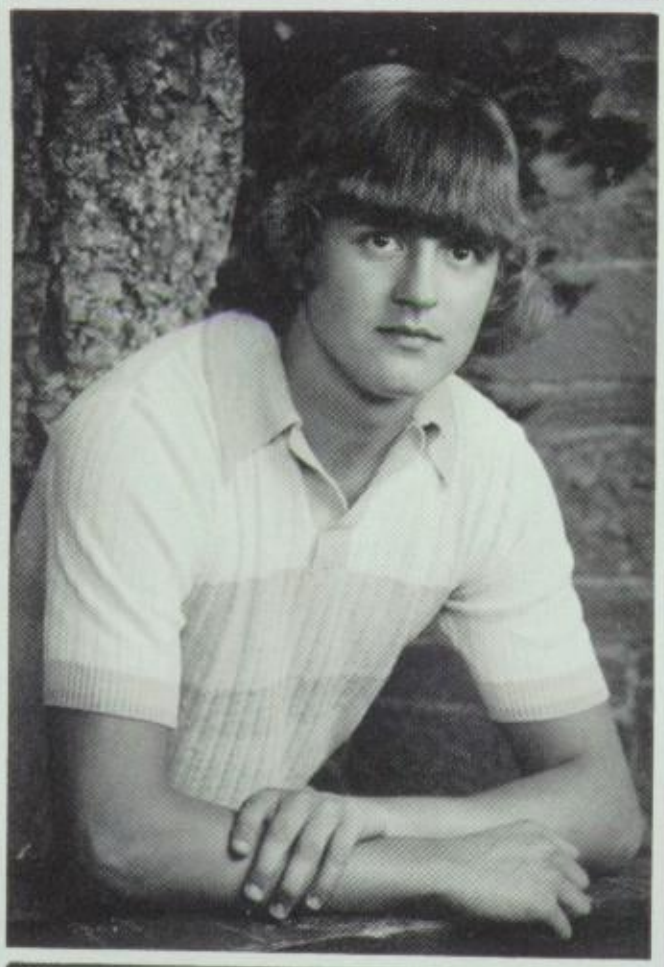

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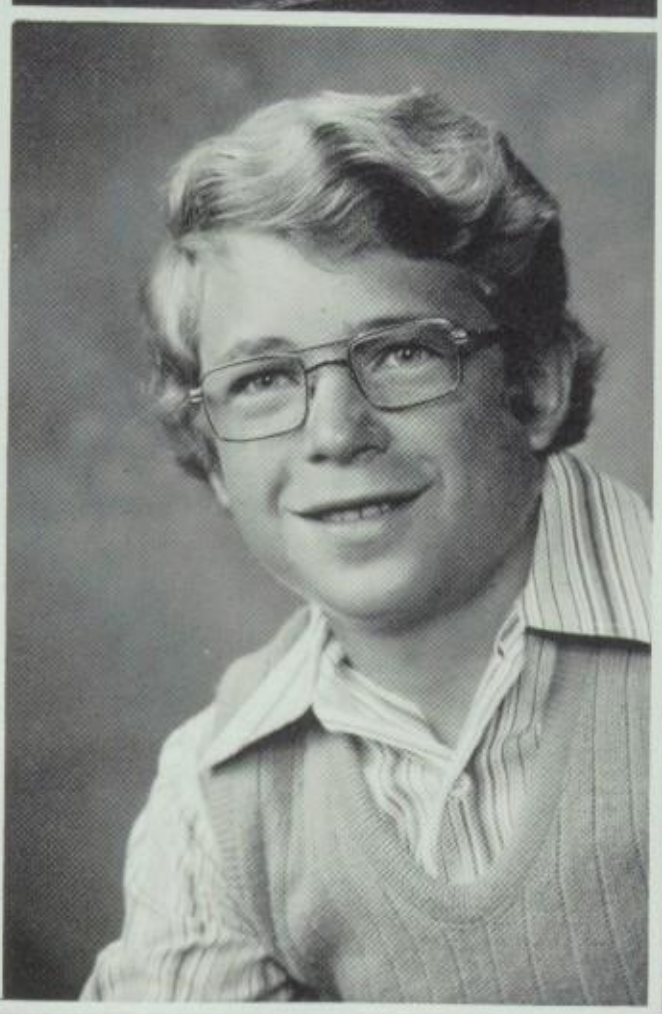

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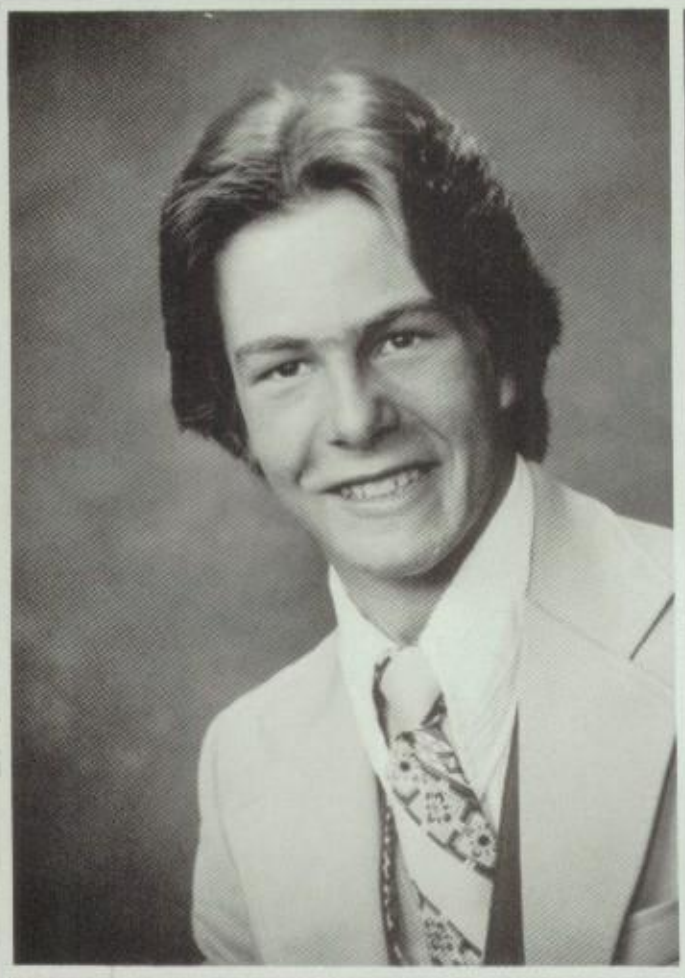

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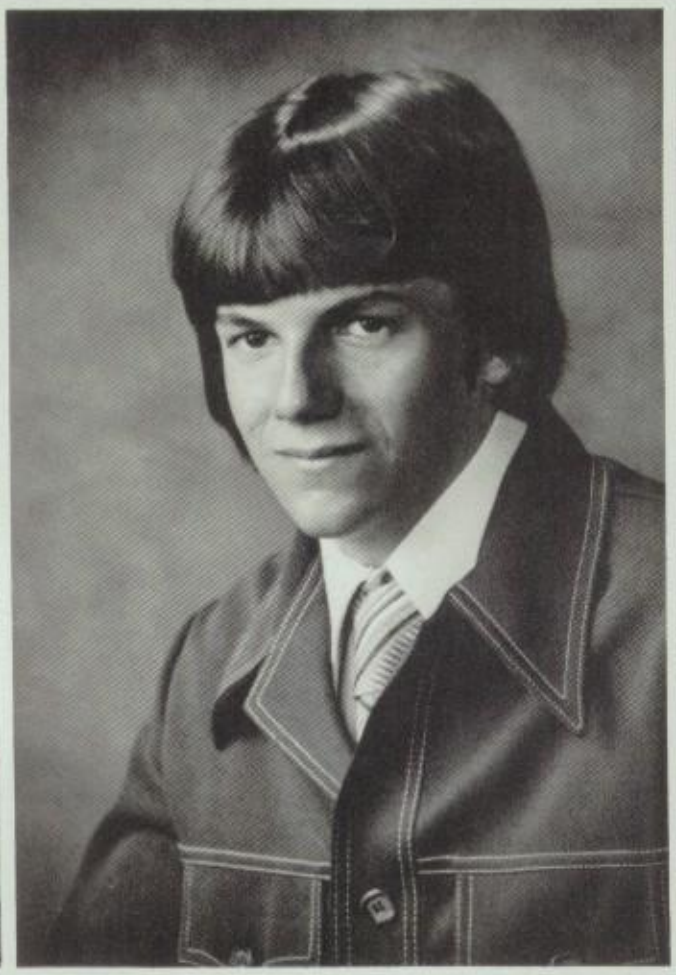

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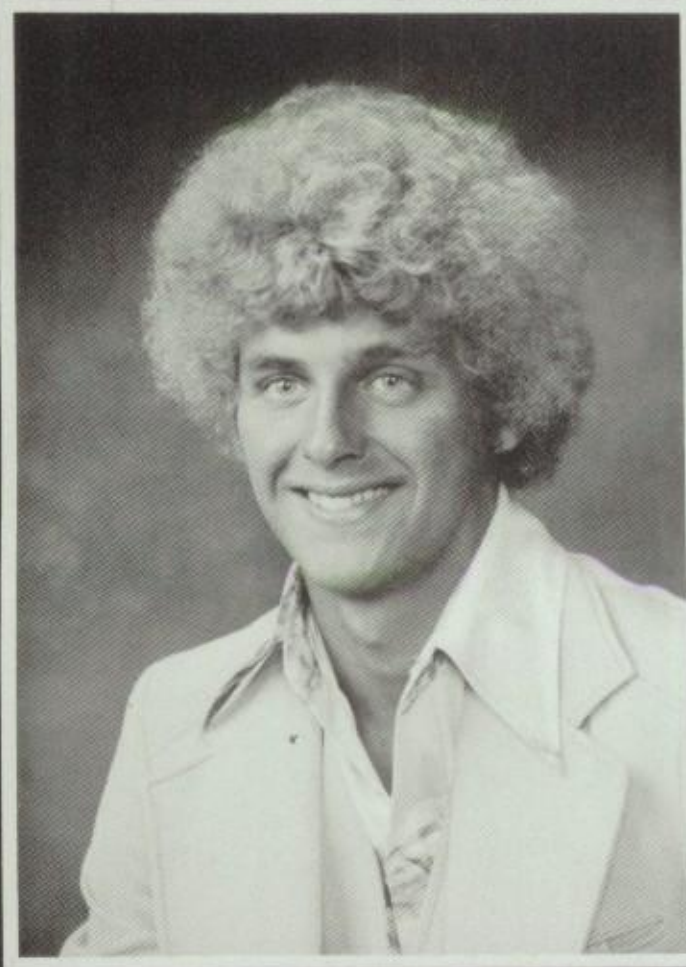

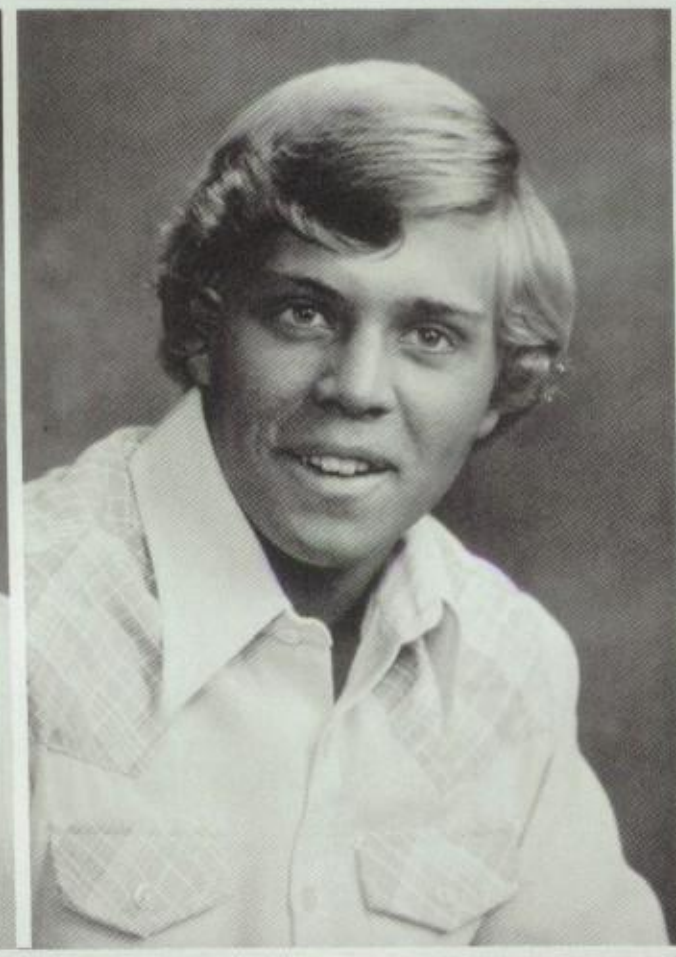

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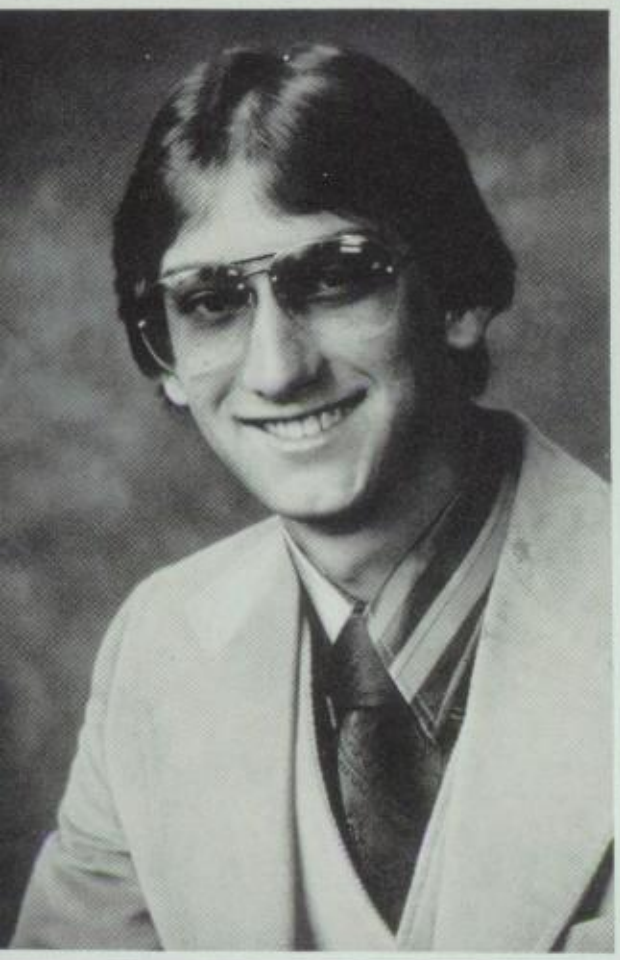

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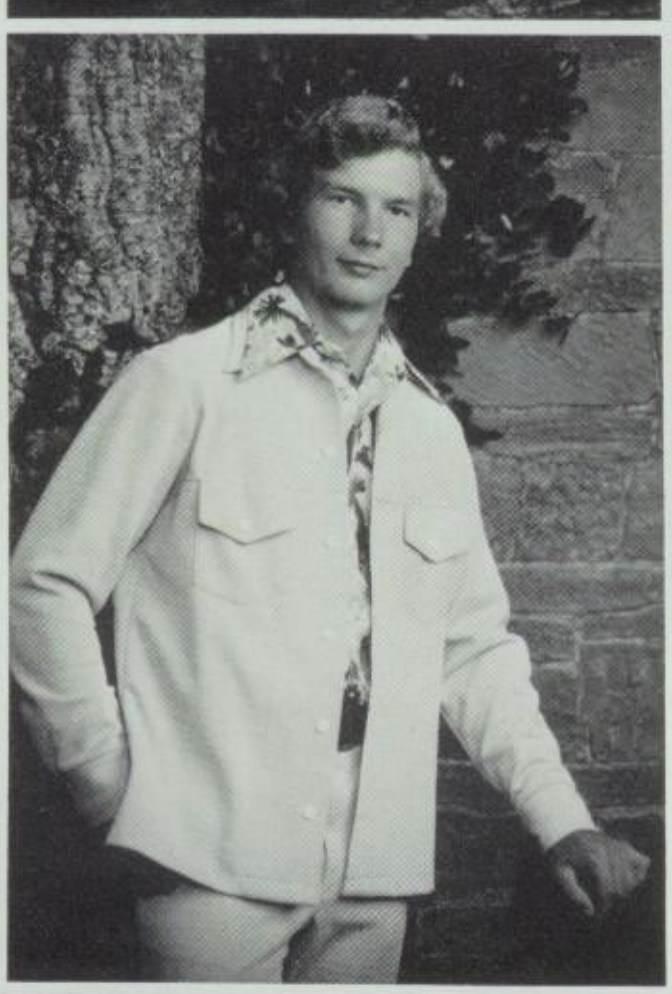

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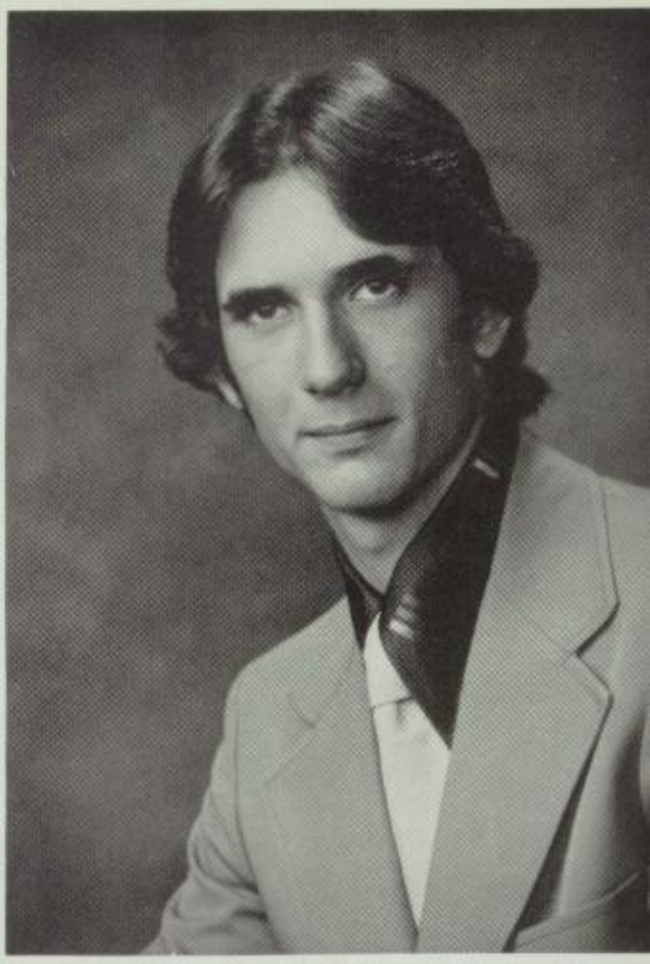

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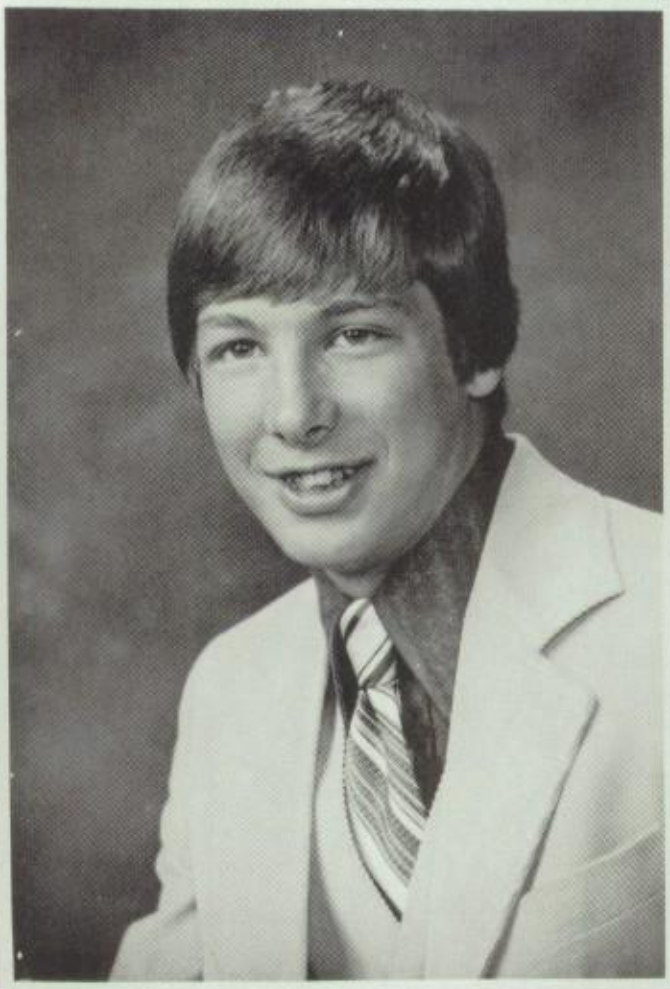

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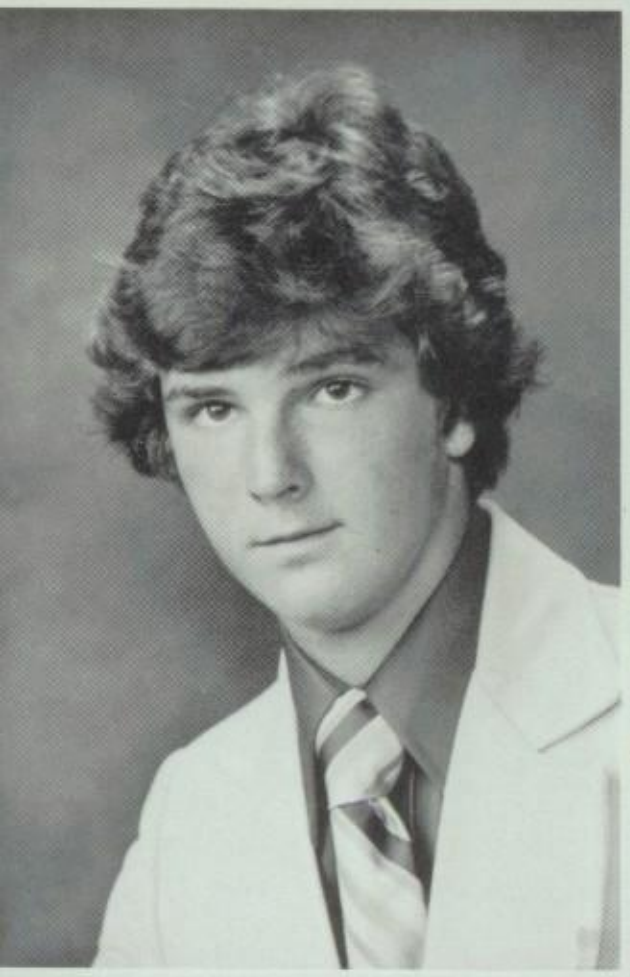

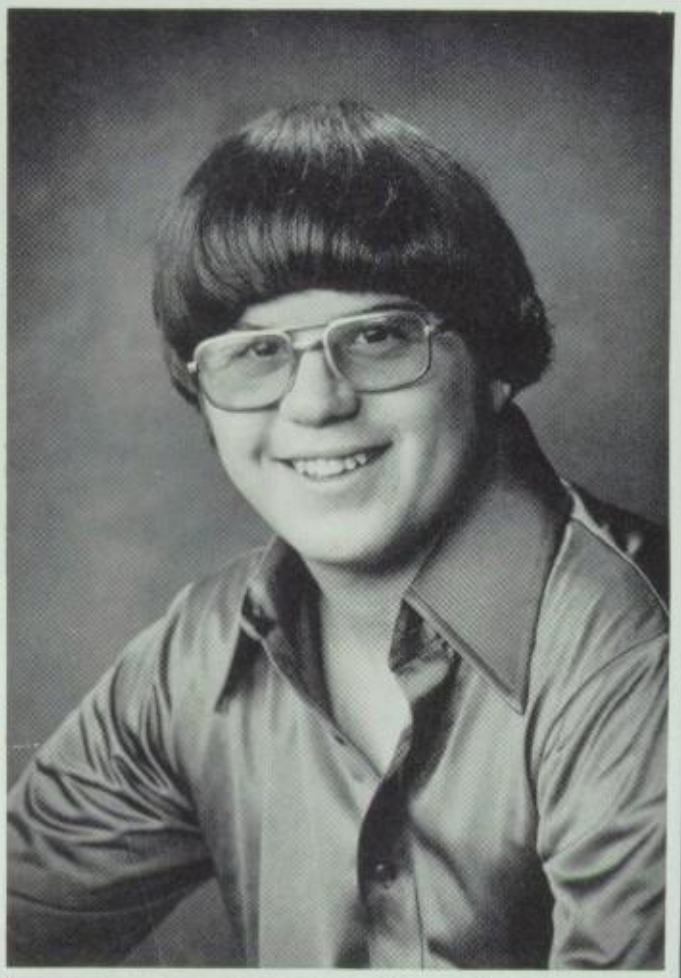

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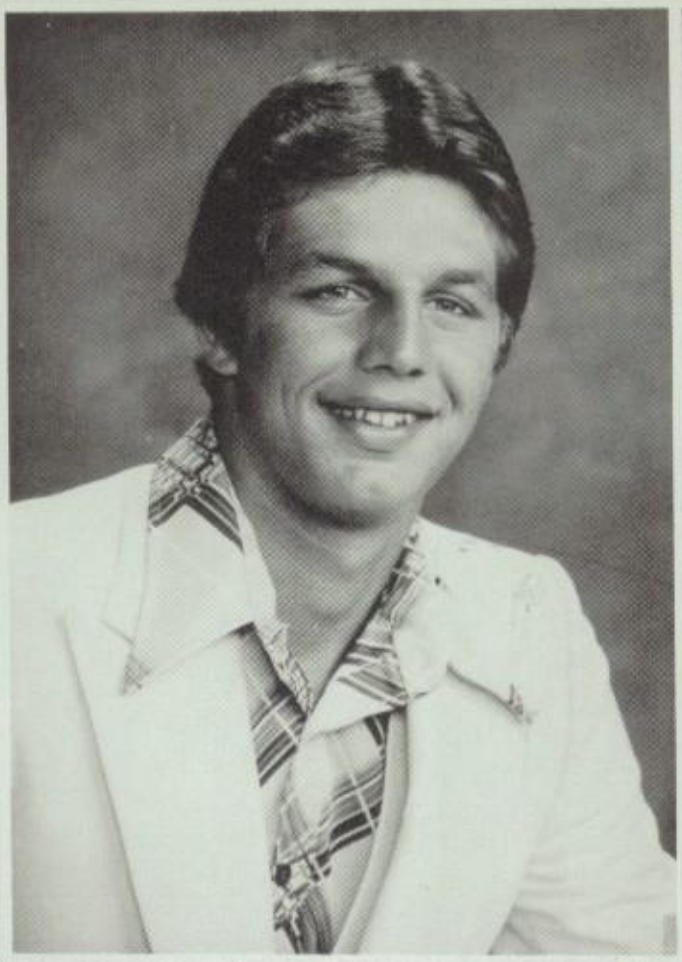

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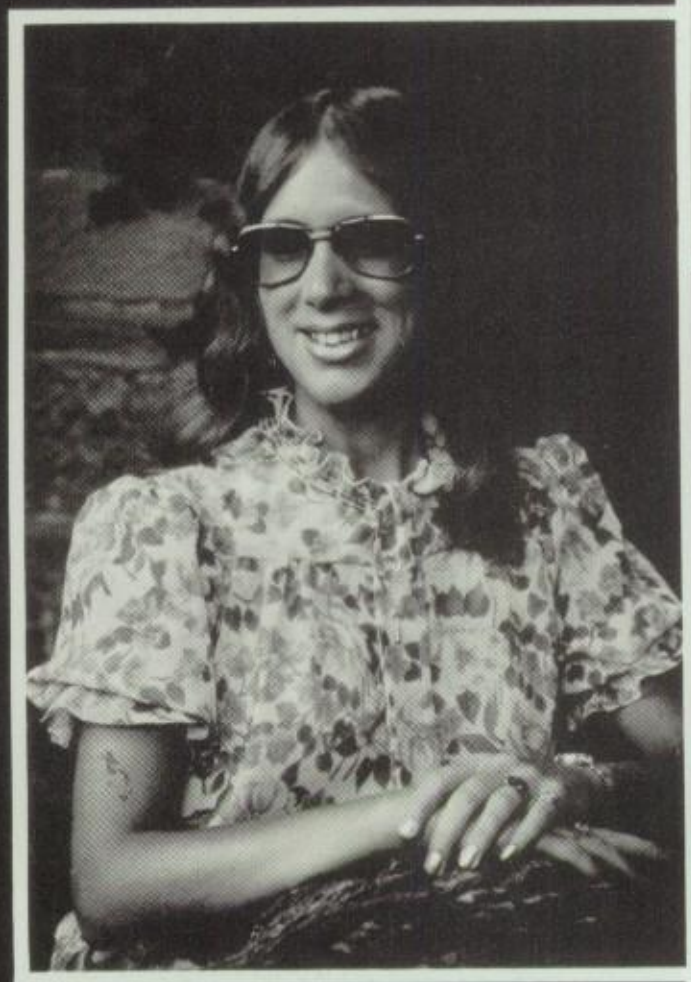

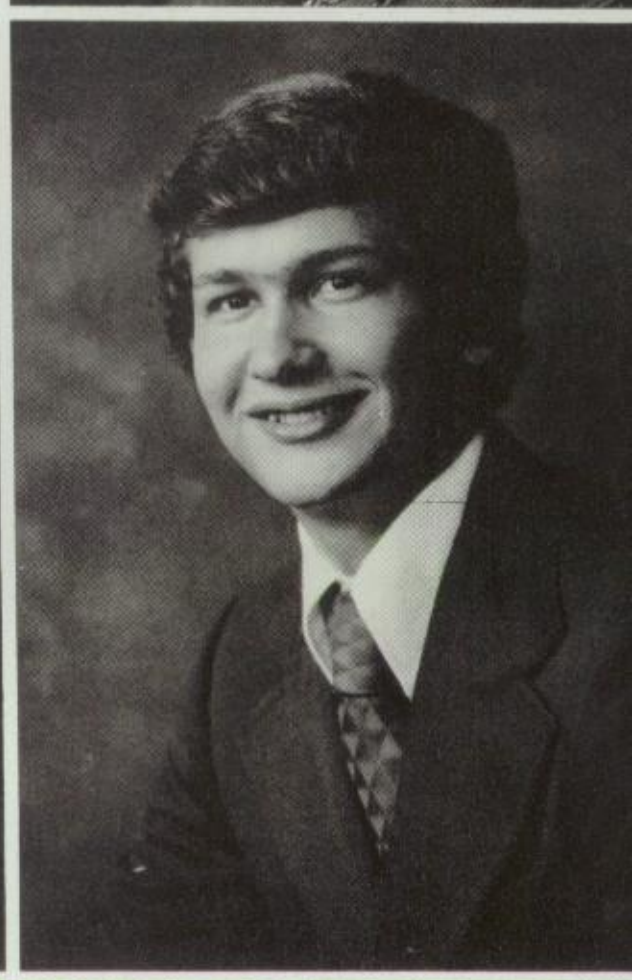

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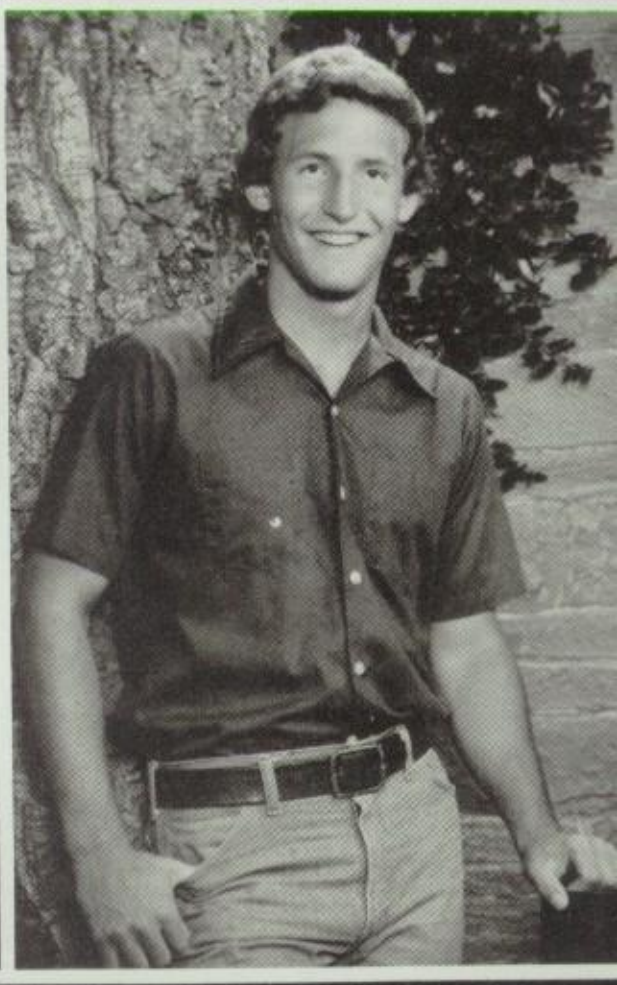

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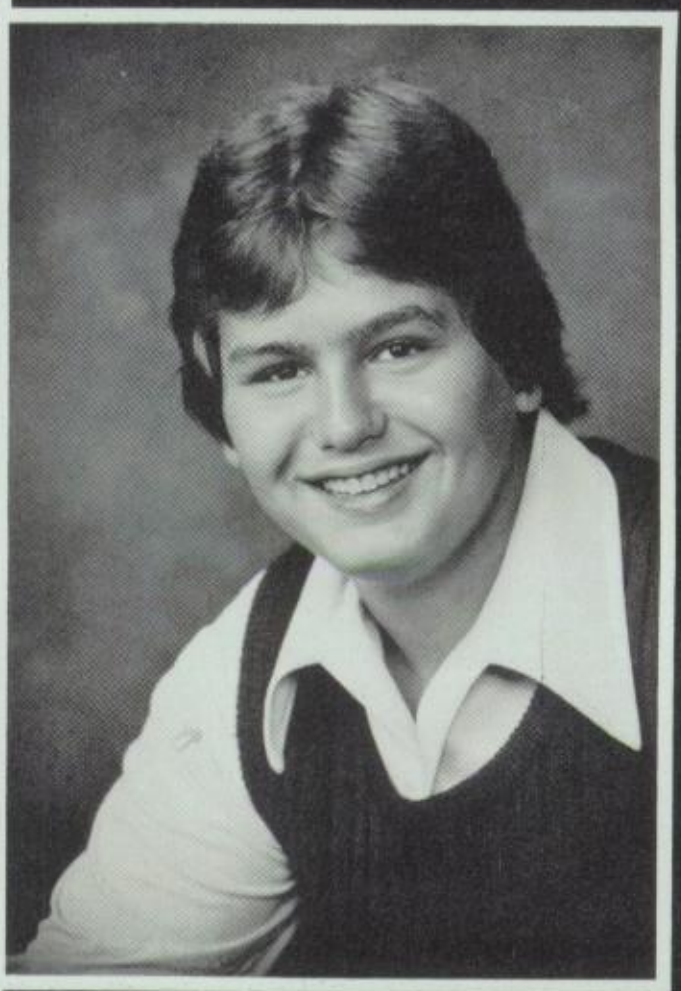

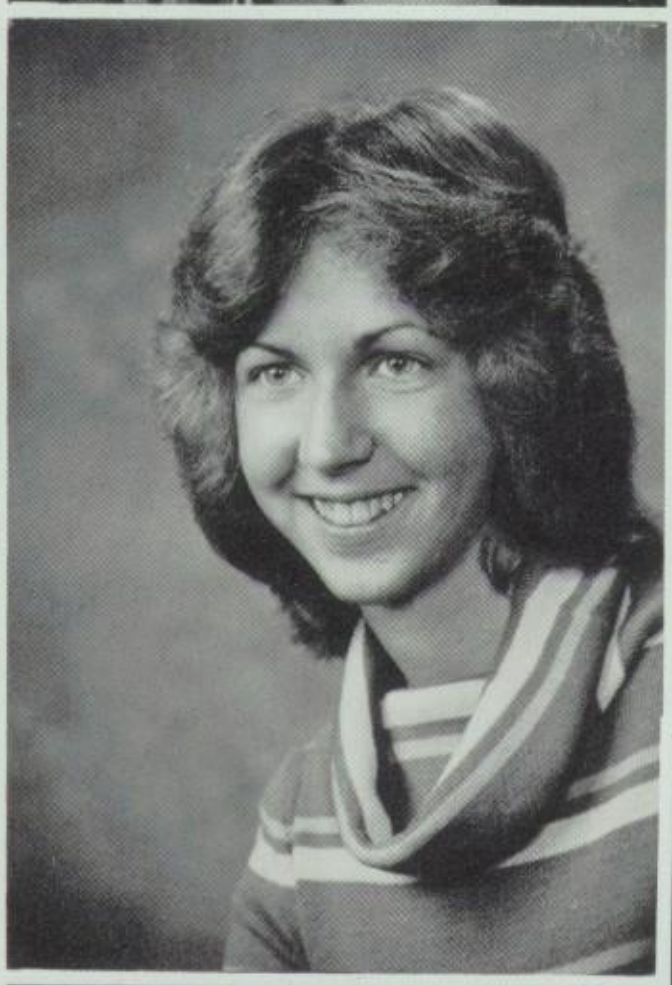

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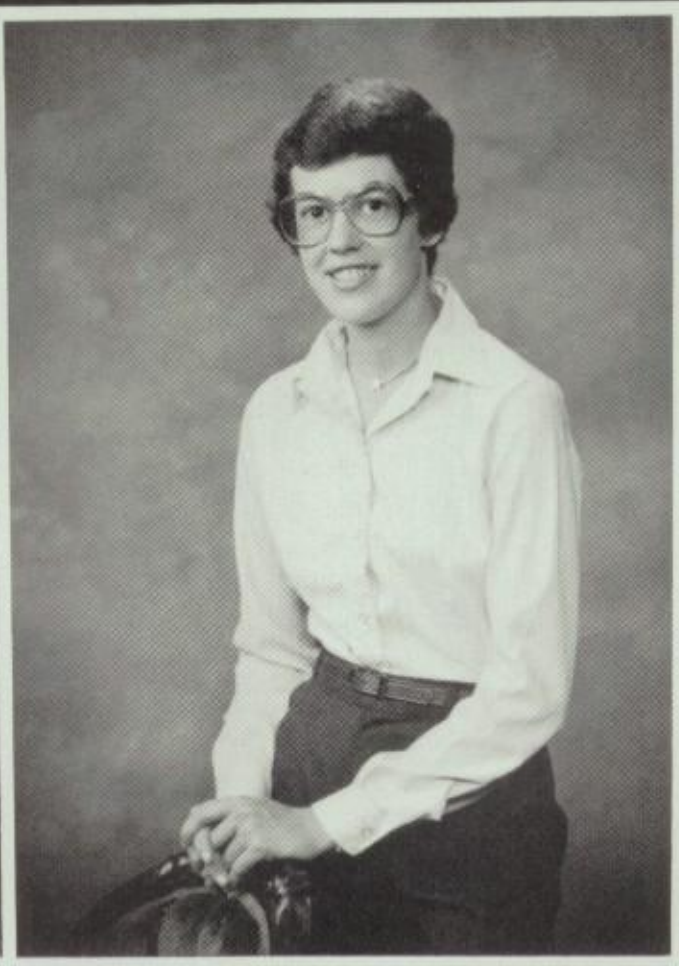

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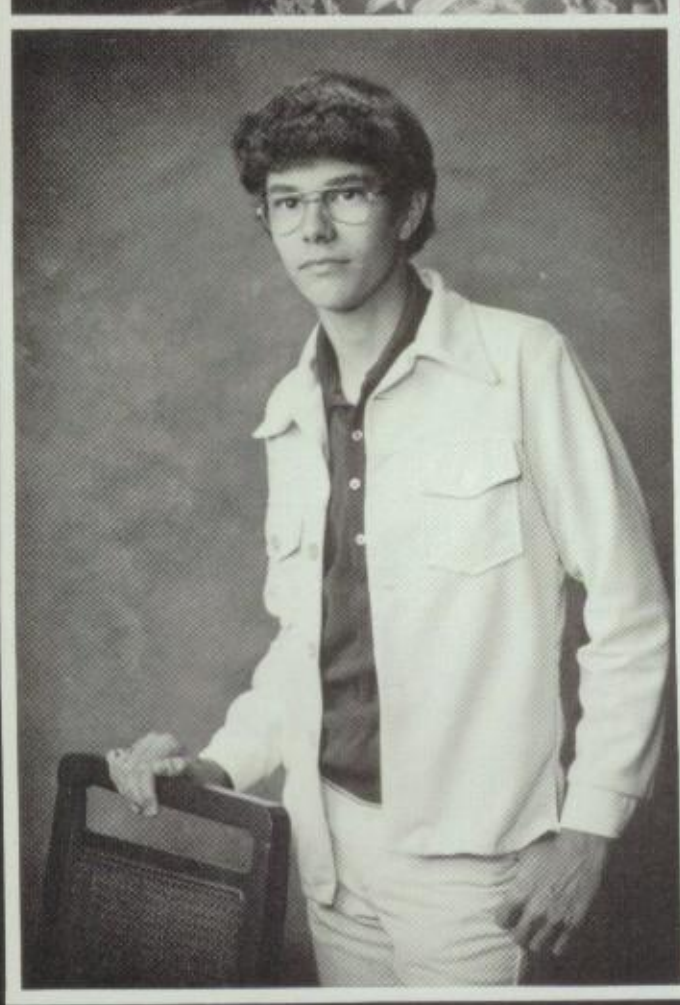

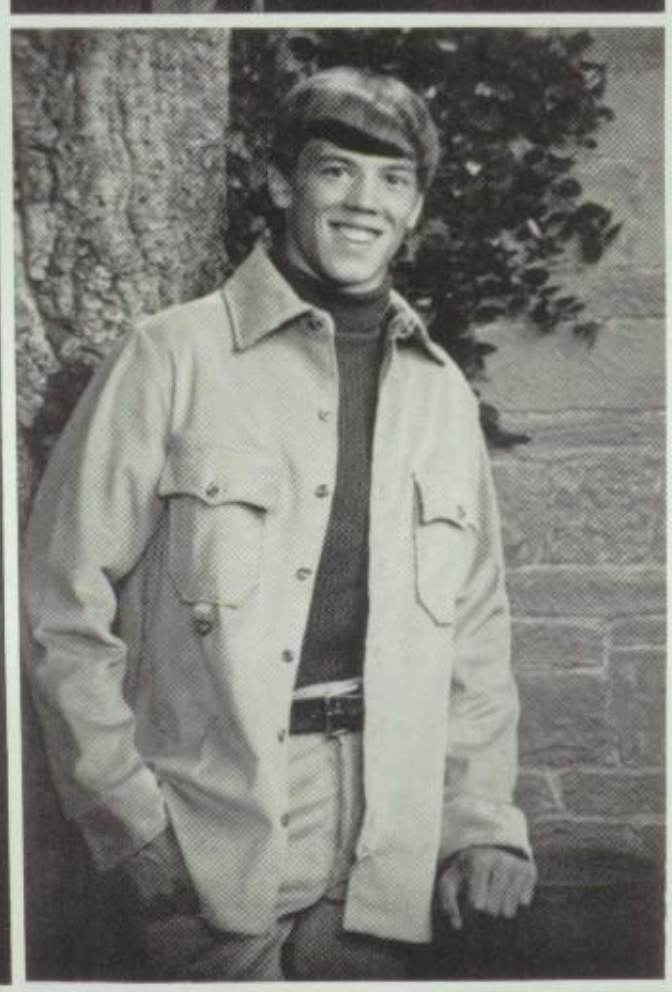

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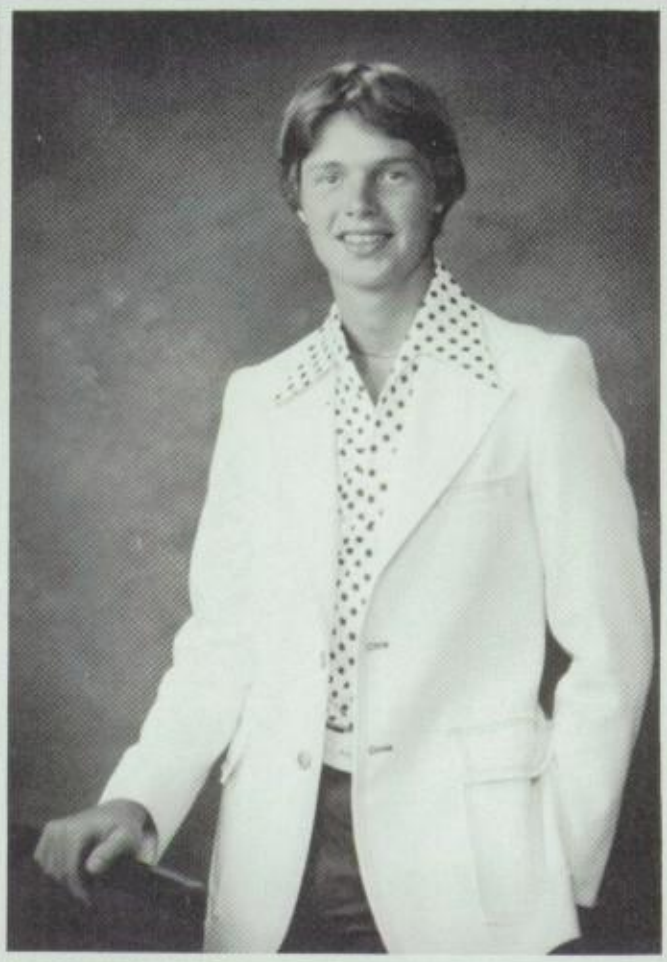

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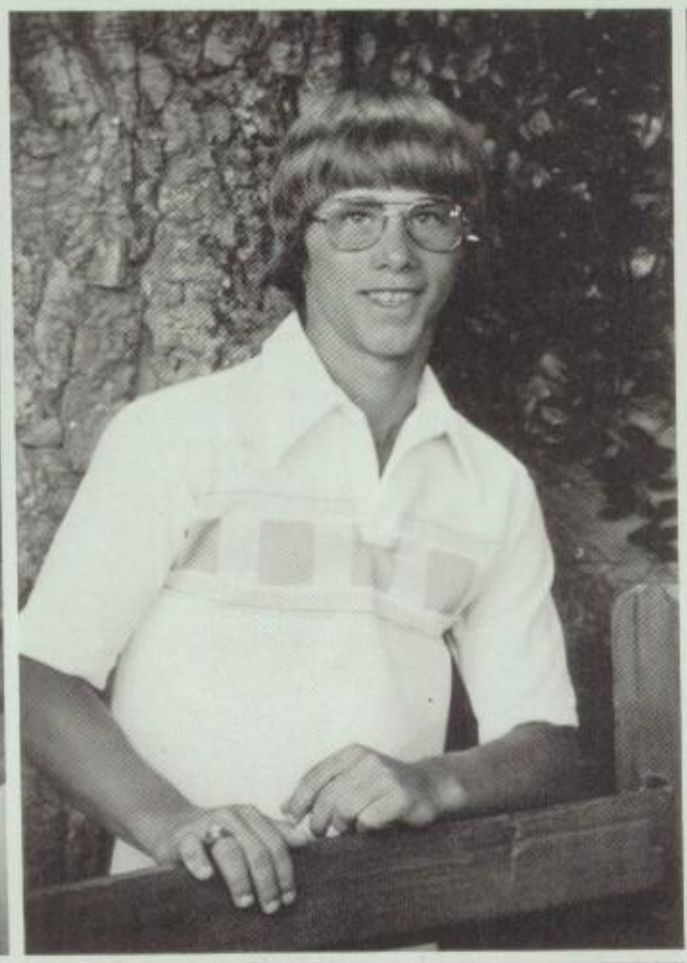

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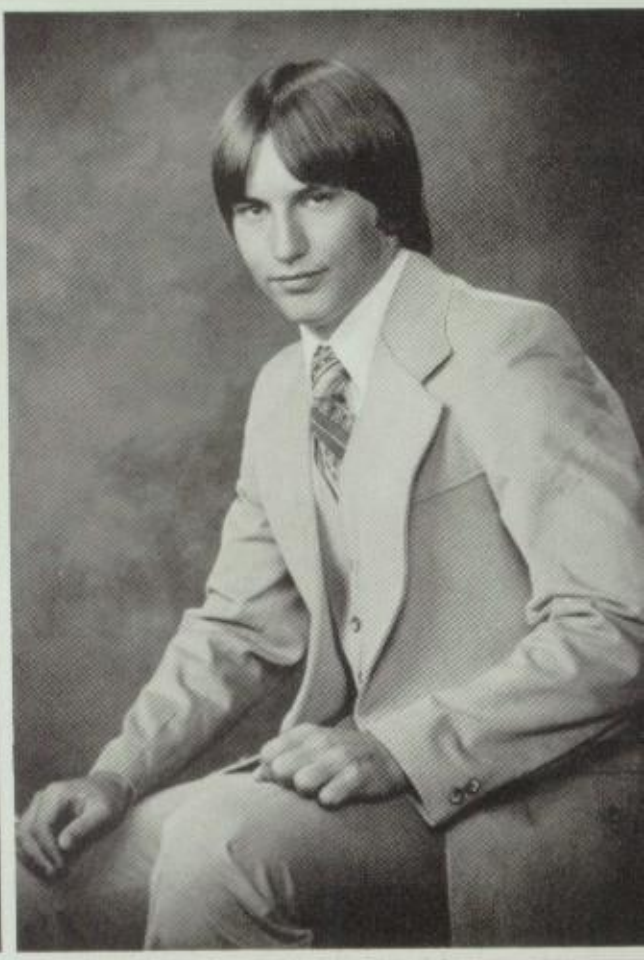

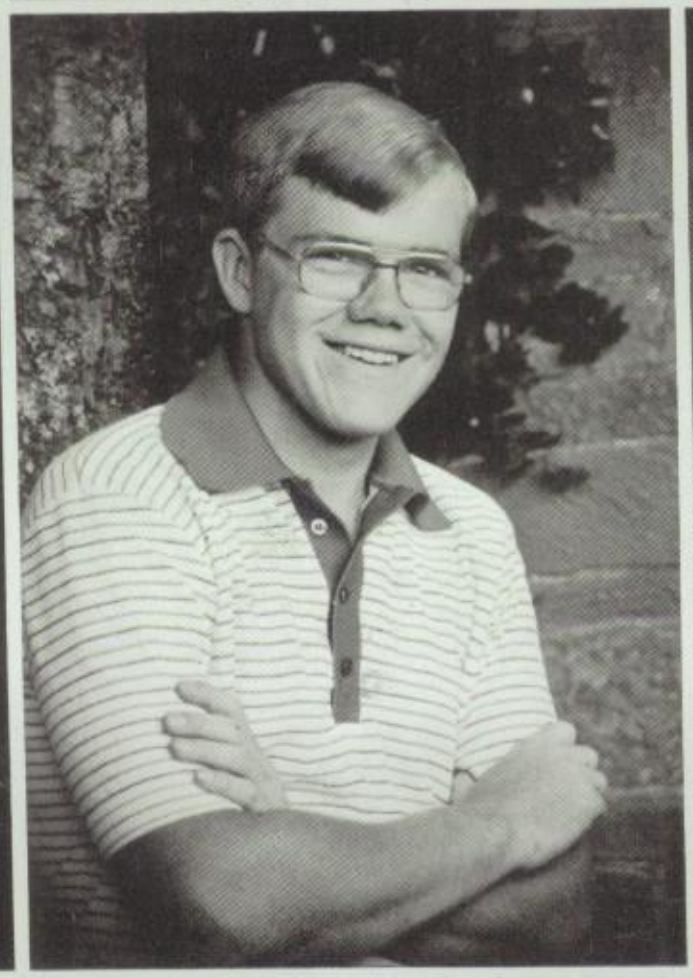

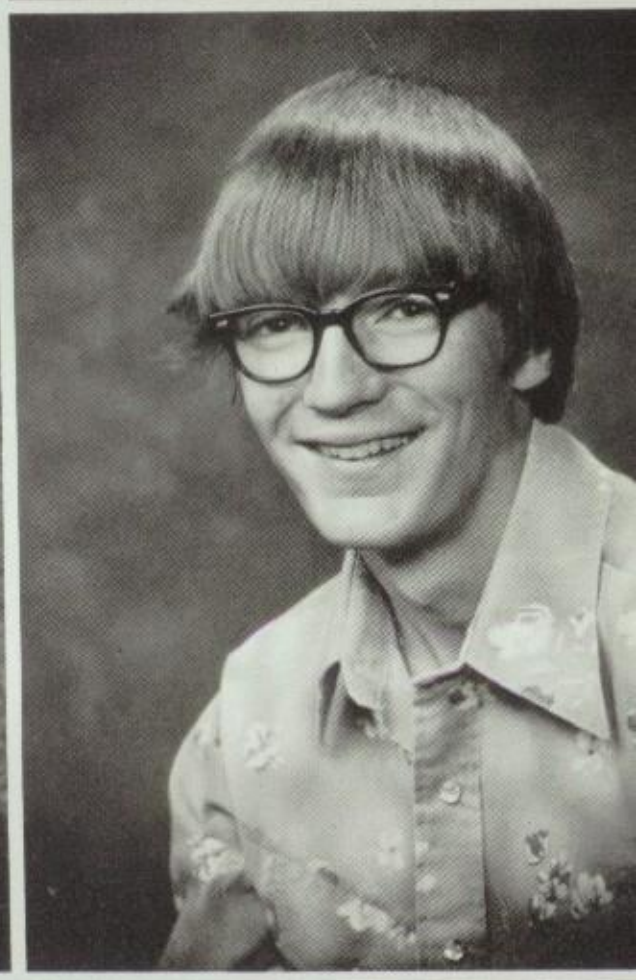

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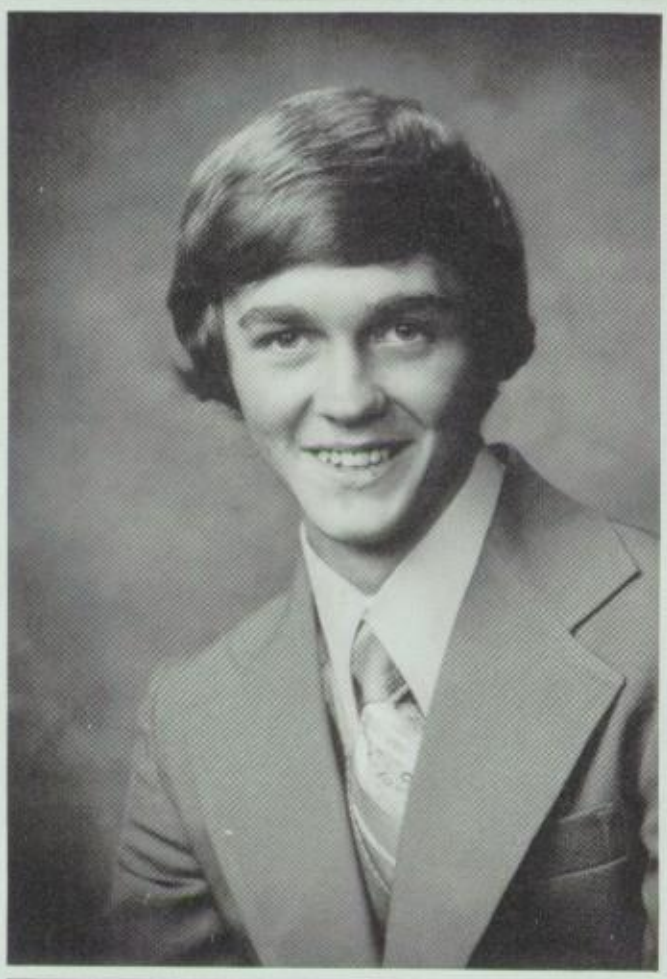

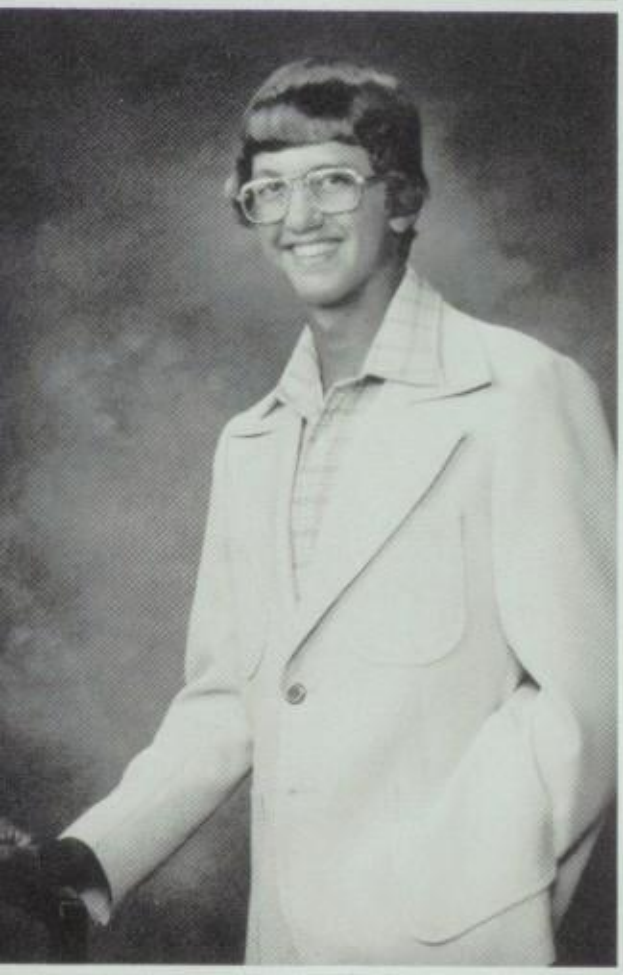

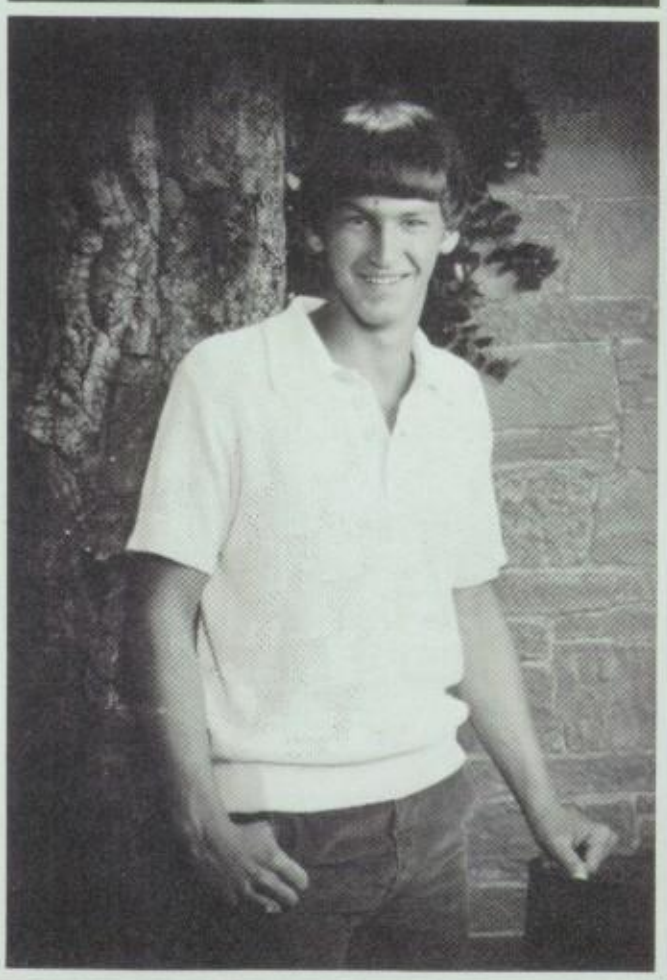

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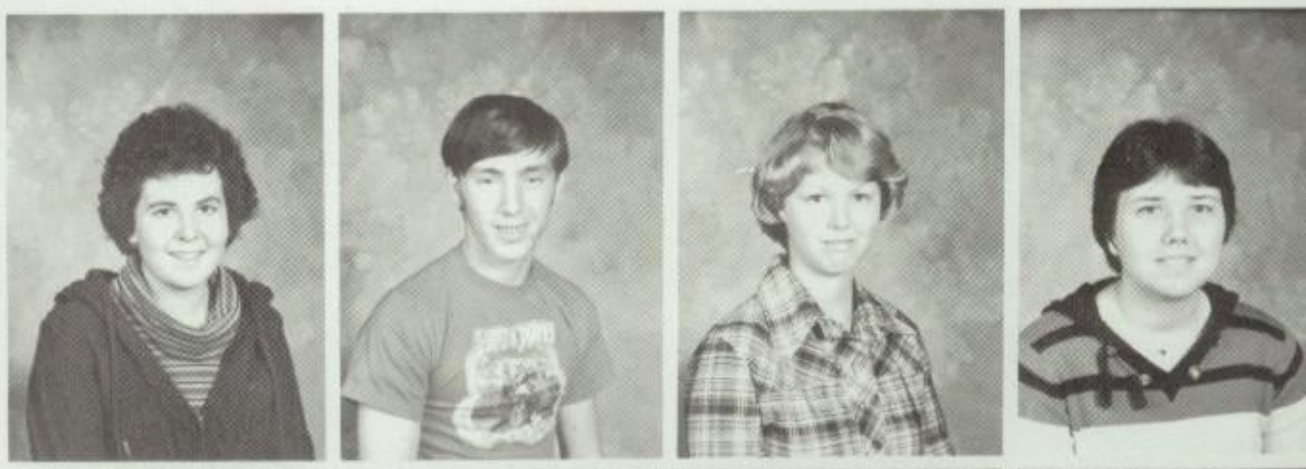

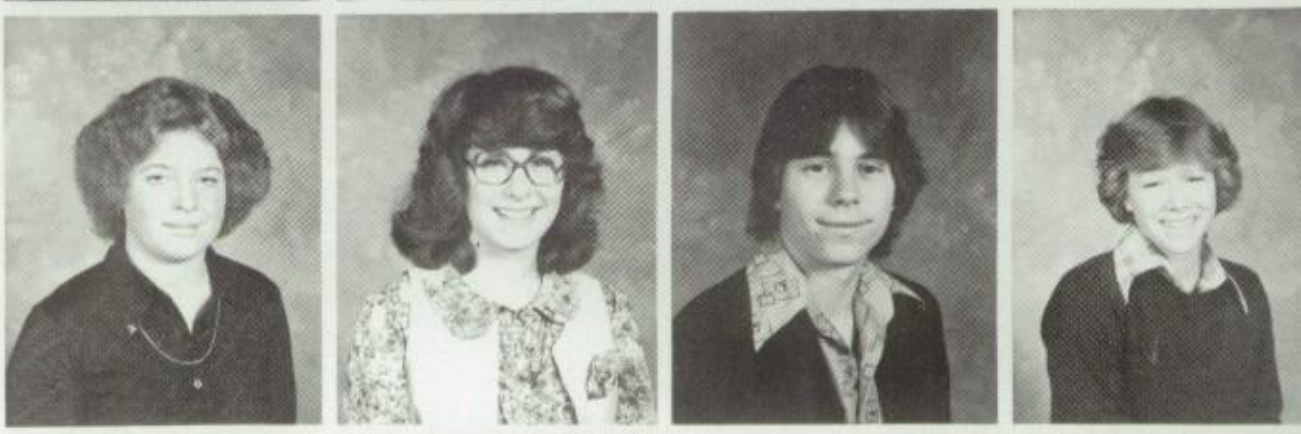

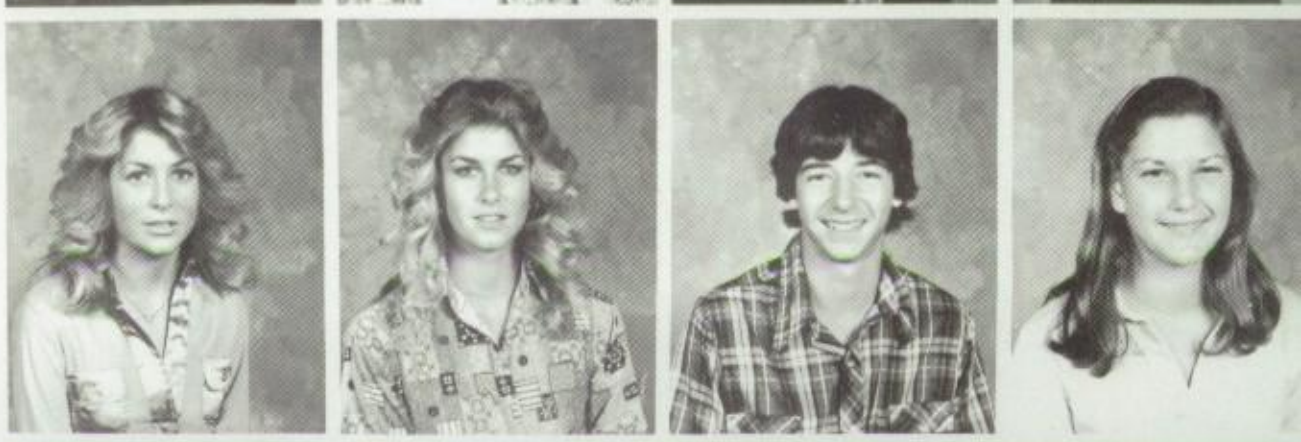

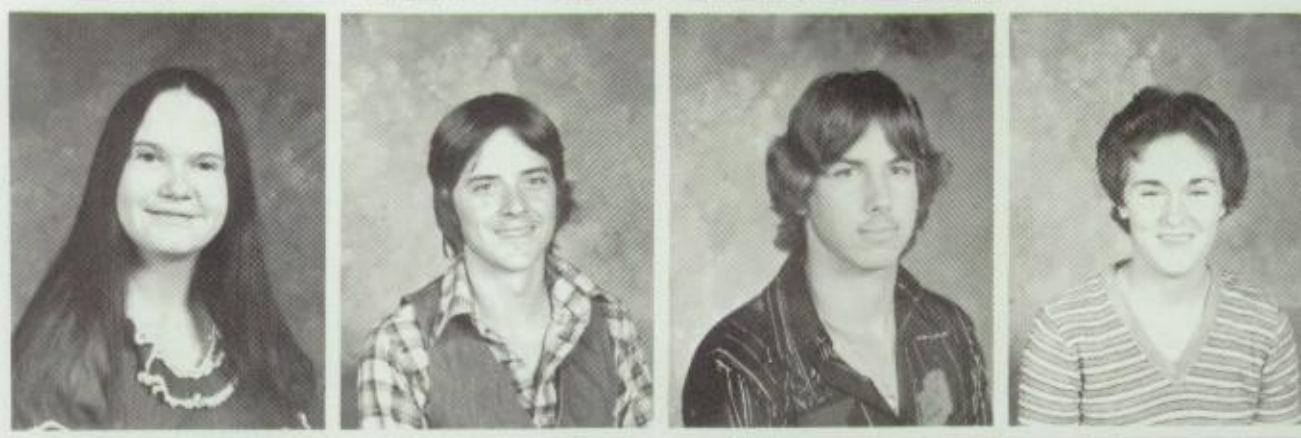

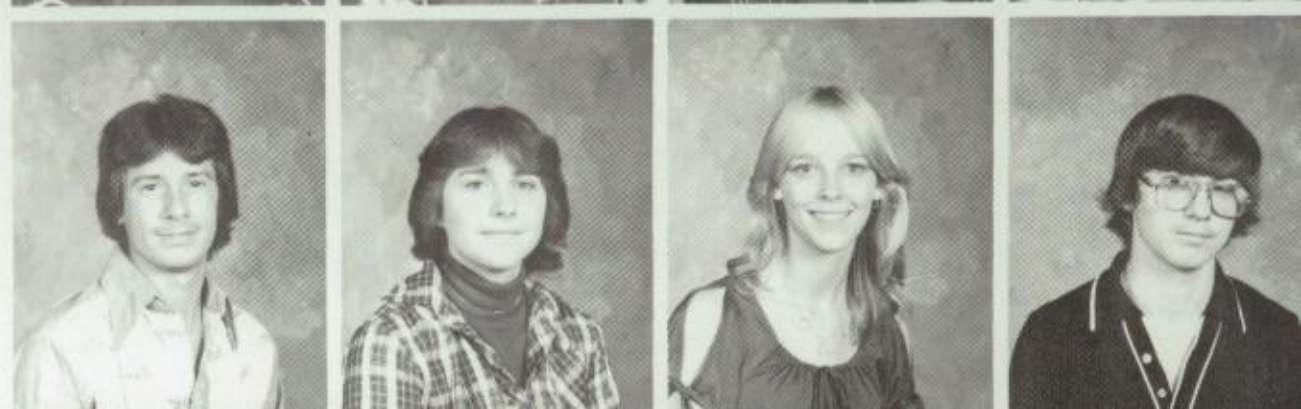

The class of 1980 had prepared themselves for the world of real decisions. Different individuals with diverse backgrounds were taking on more responsibility; magazine sales, planning of the prom, and for many — taking SATs for a college career. There was only one more year before graduation and then it was up to the juniors to go out and conquer the world! TB

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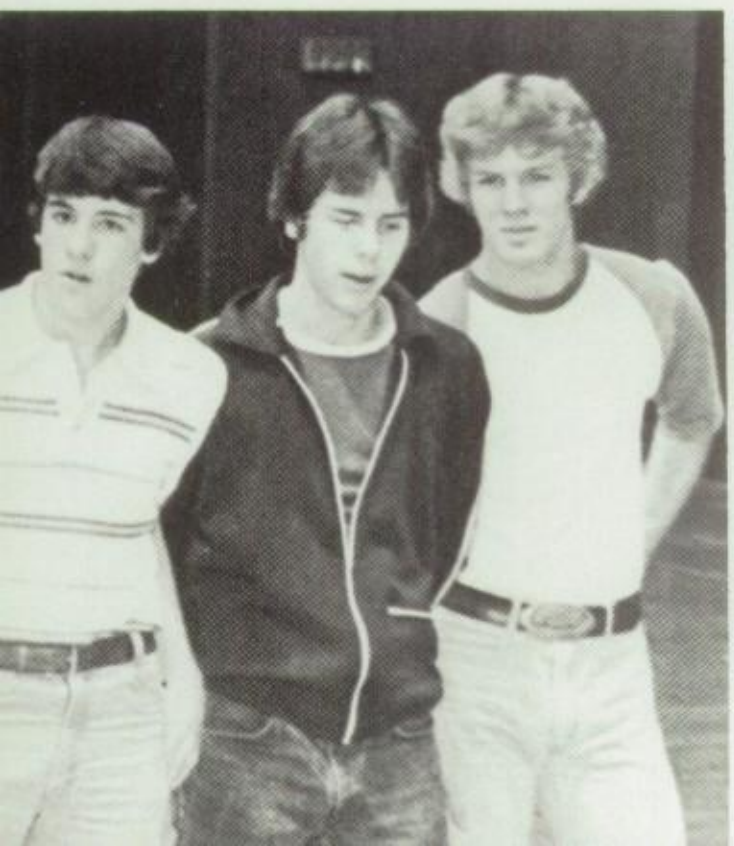

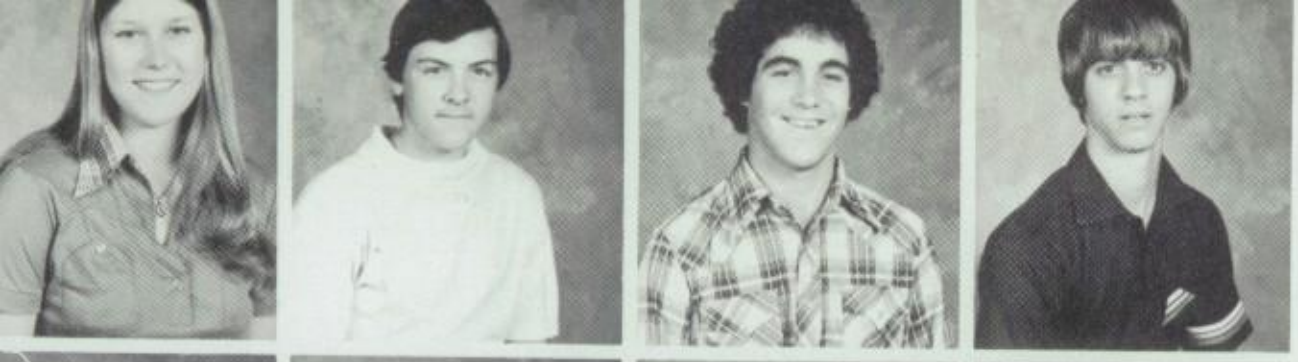

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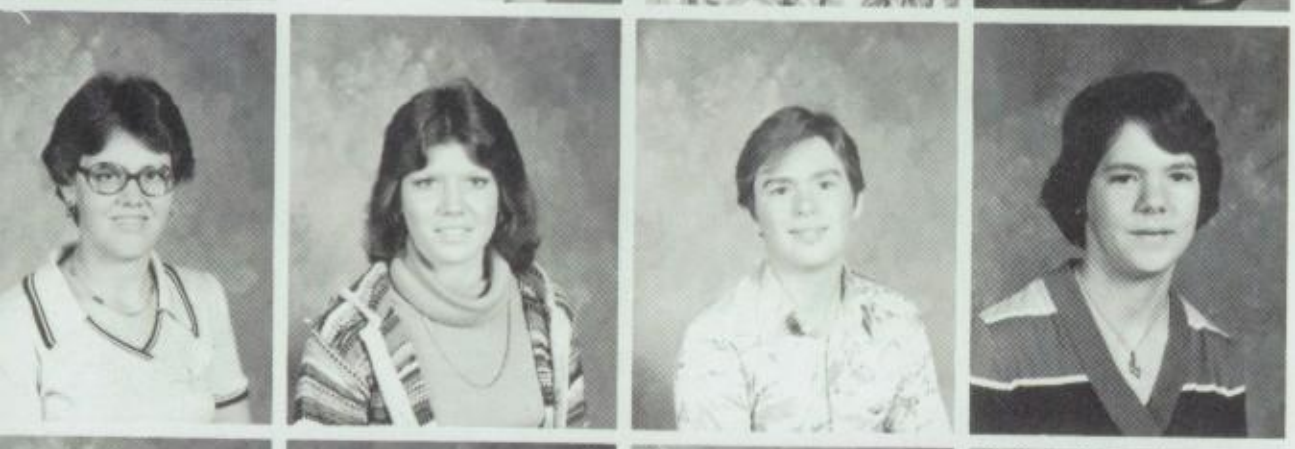

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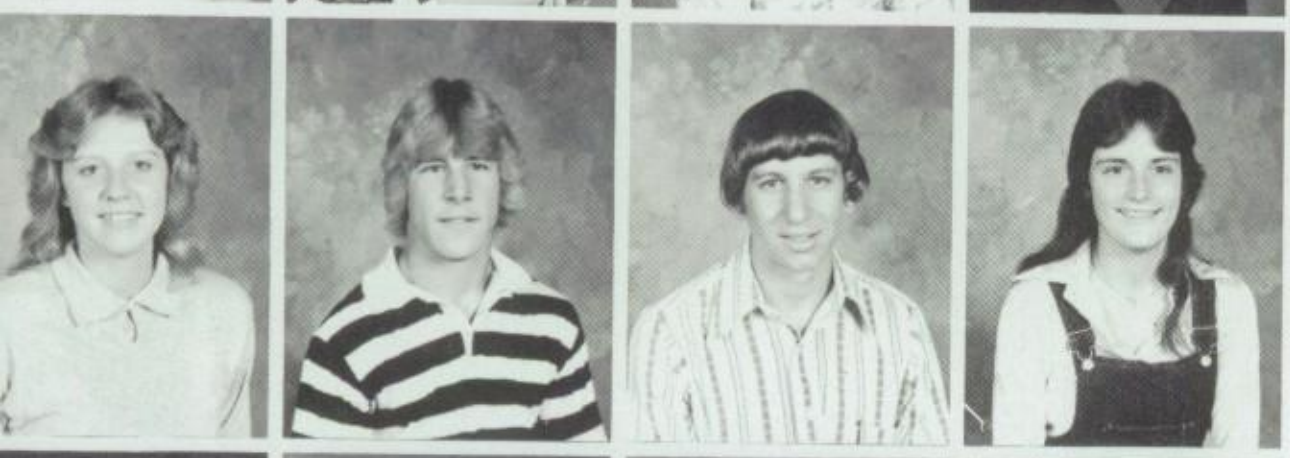

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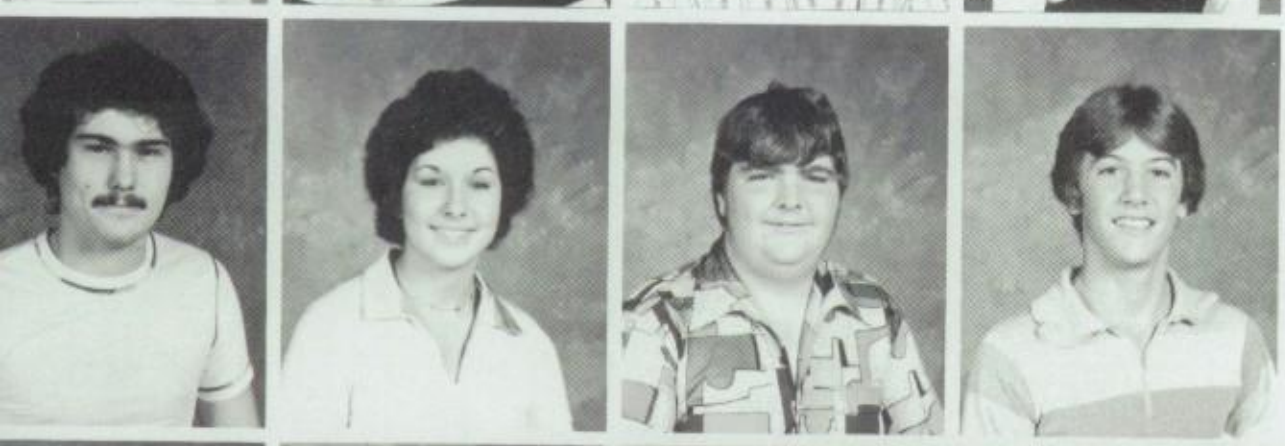

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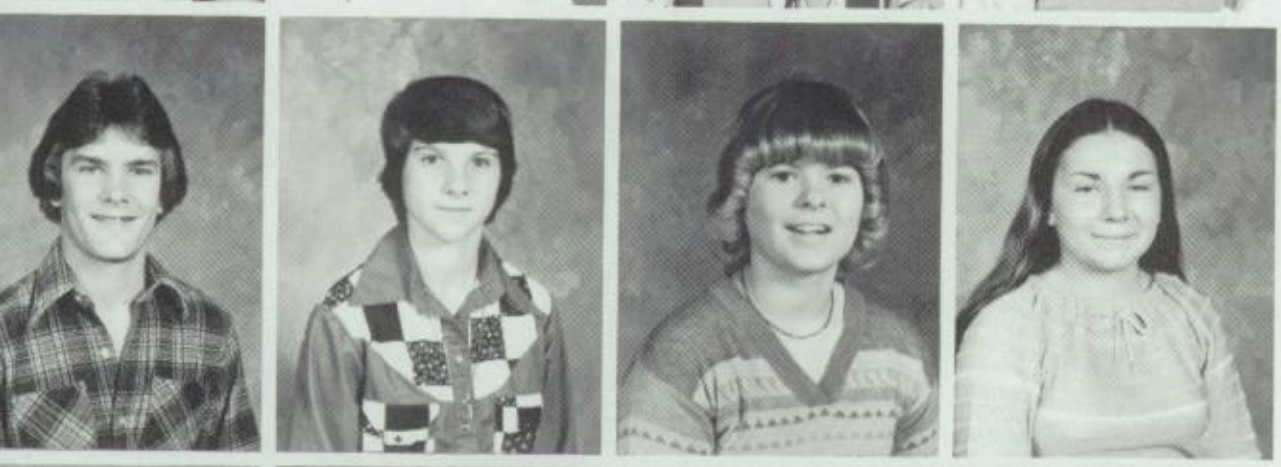

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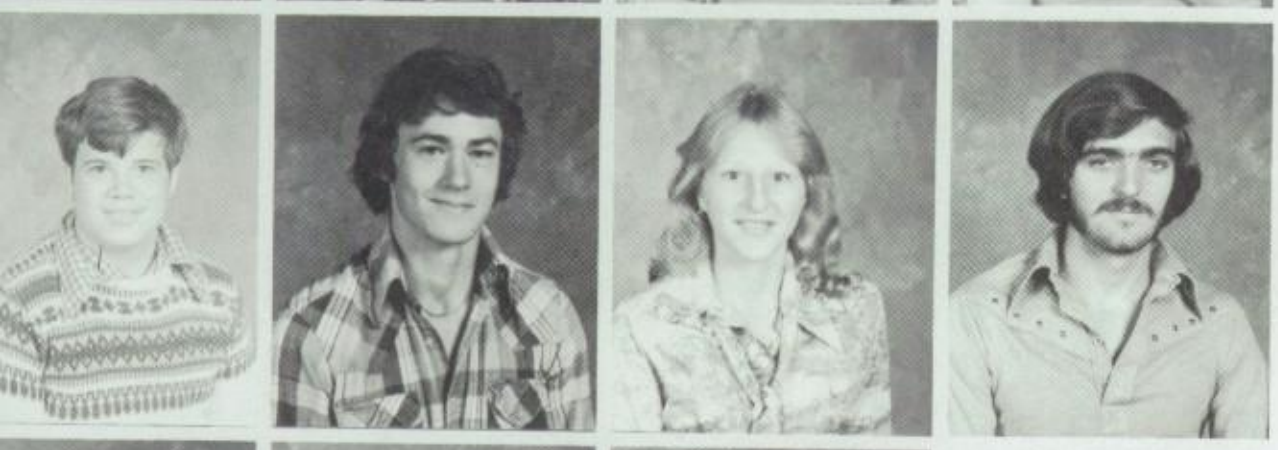

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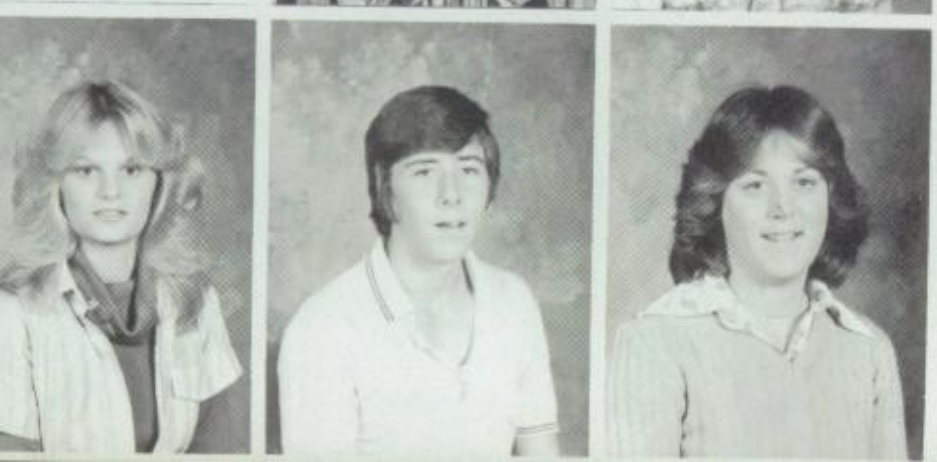

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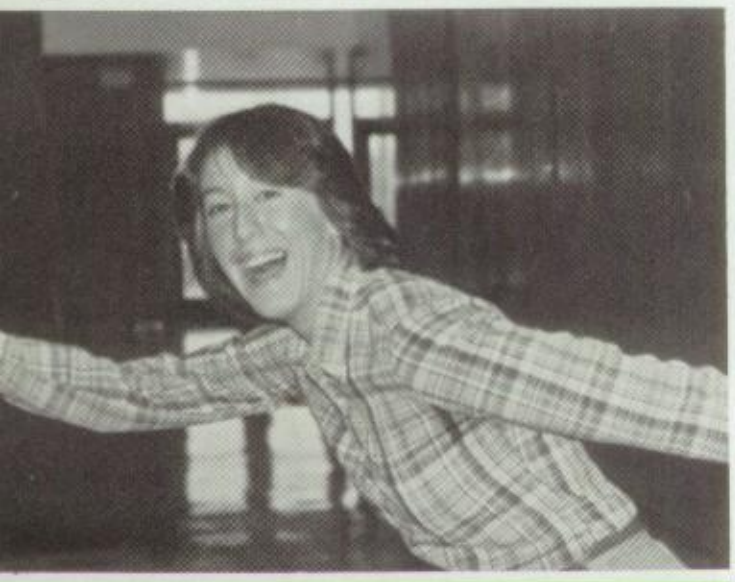

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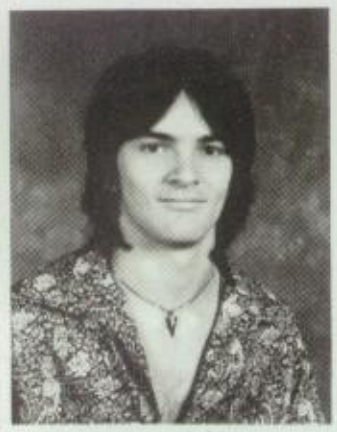

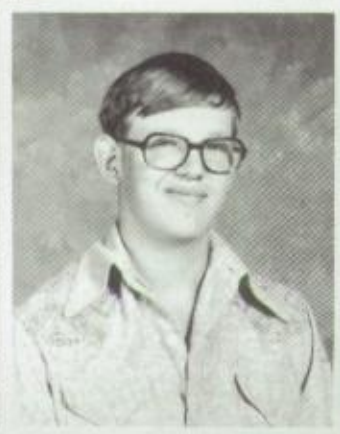

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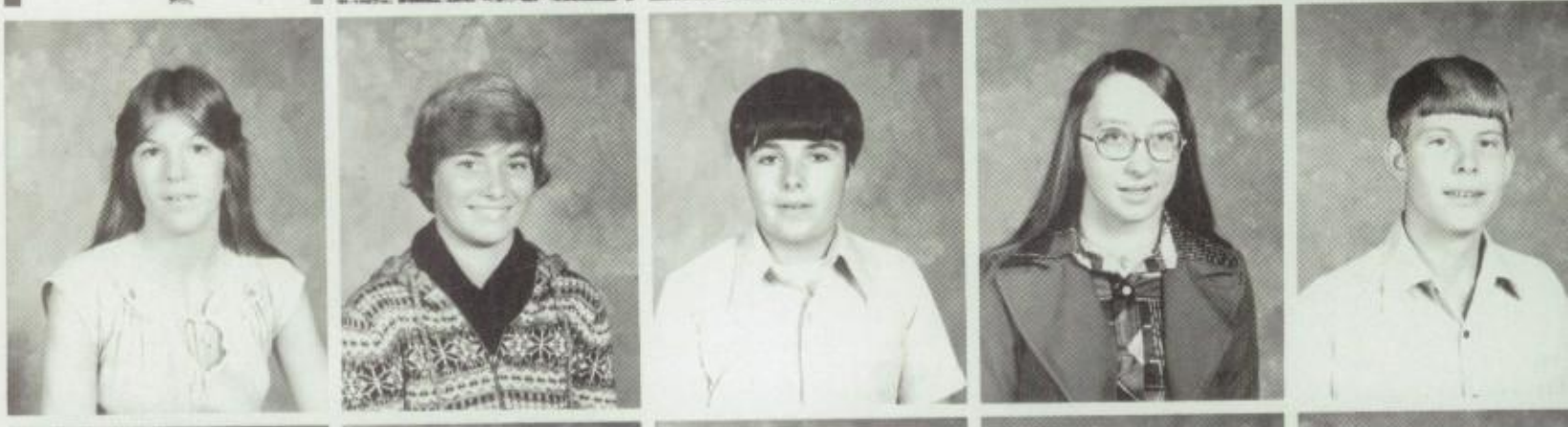

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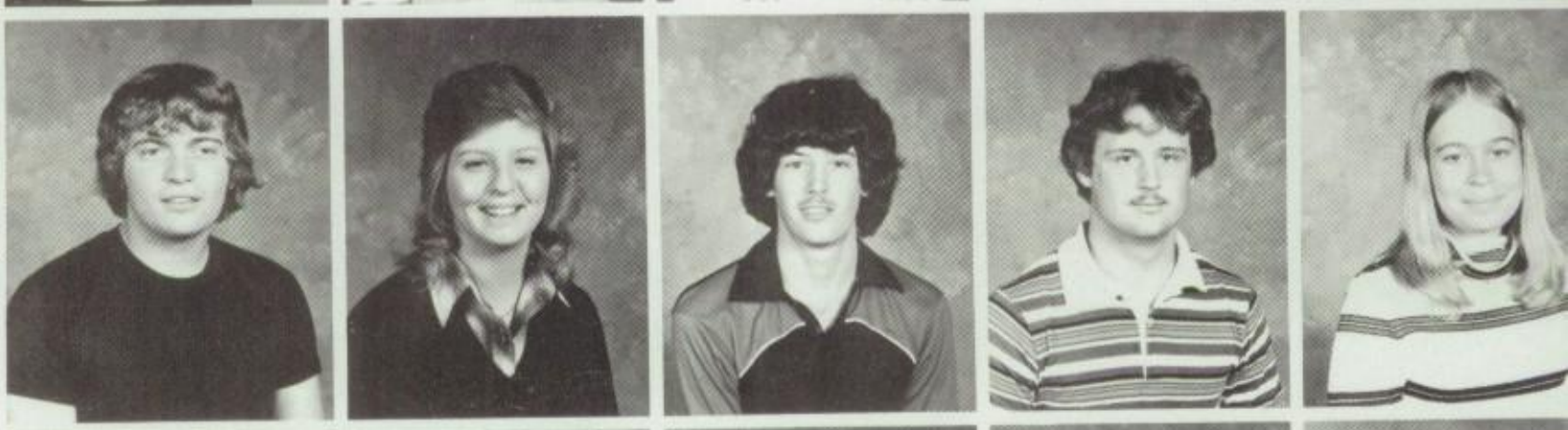

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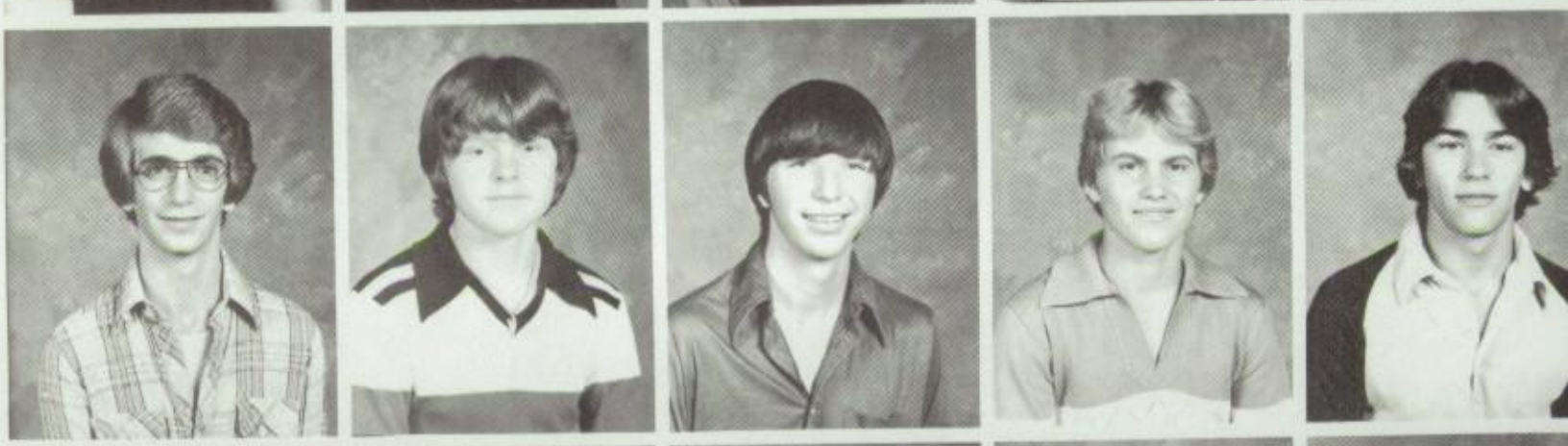

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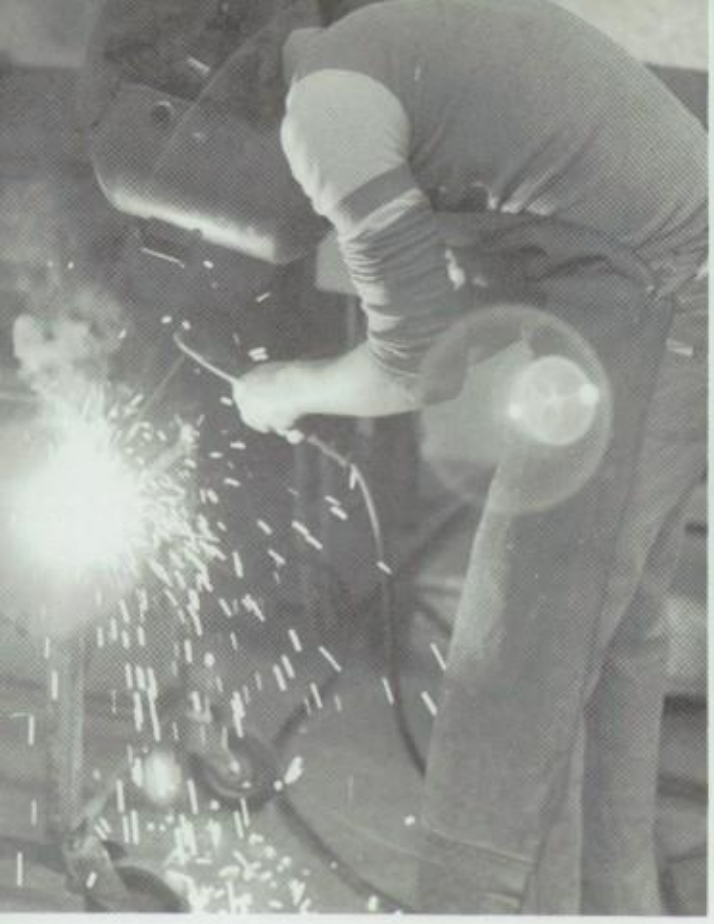

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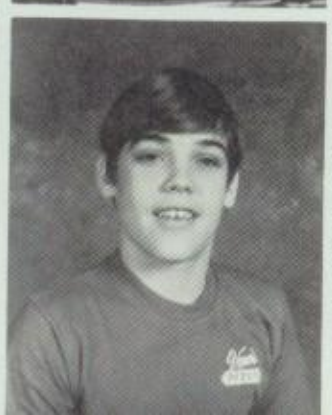

SPIRIT '81

The class of '81 kicked off their year as sophomores when they ordered class rings. Slave Day was held when the members of the class offered their services to people of the community by raking leaves and other helpful chores.

During Homecoming, the active sophomores sold Twinkies during the lunch period as they built school spirit and also used it as a money making project.

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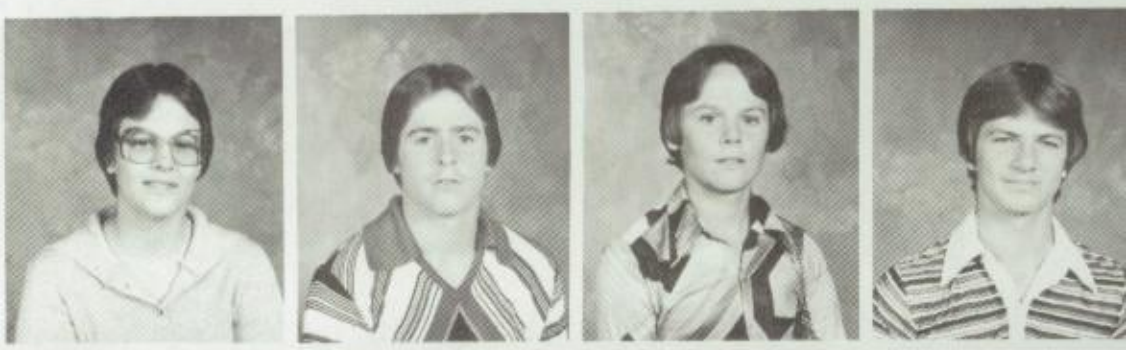

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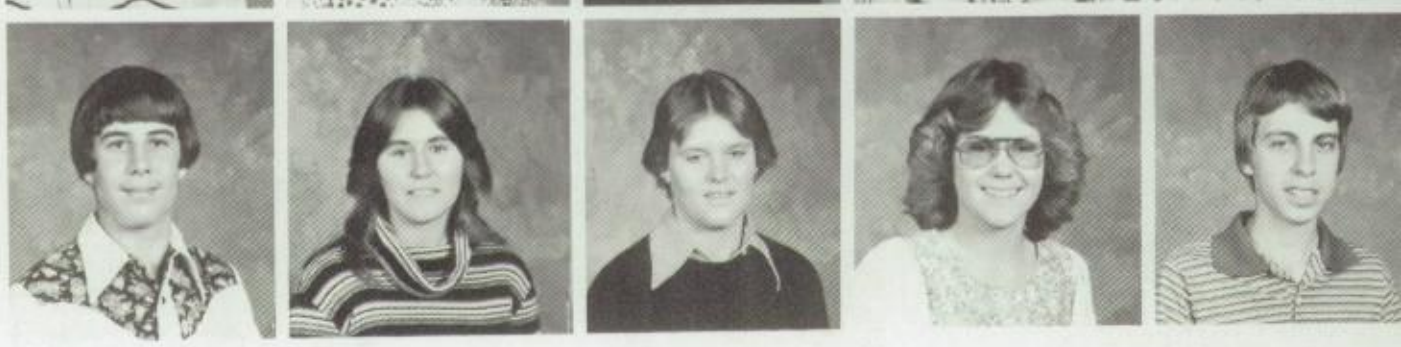

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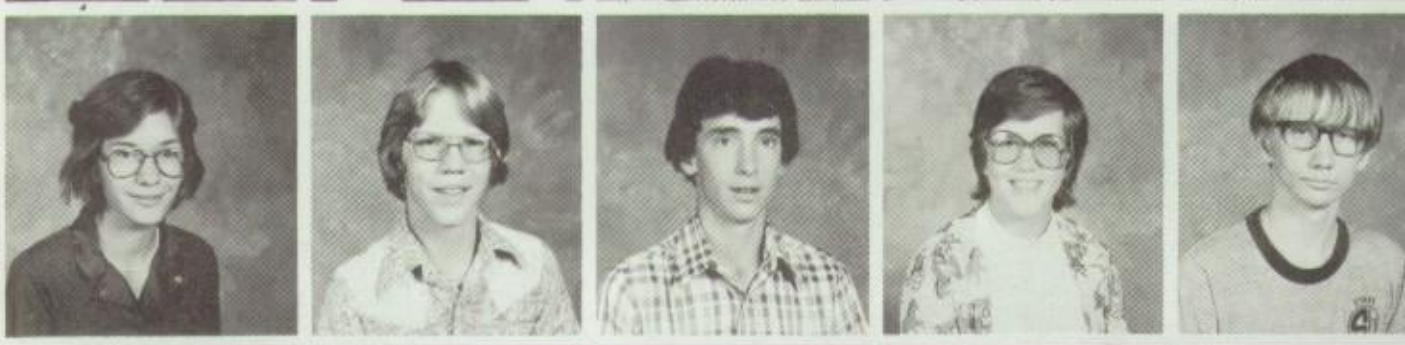

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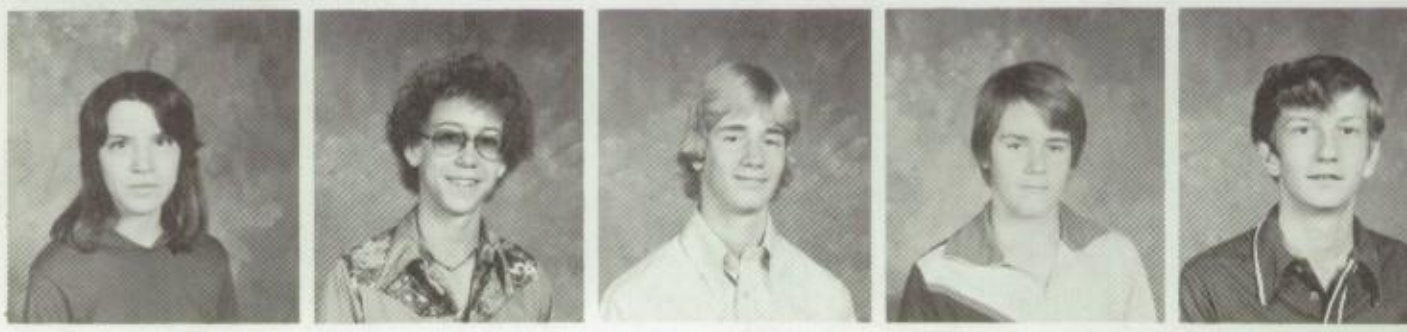

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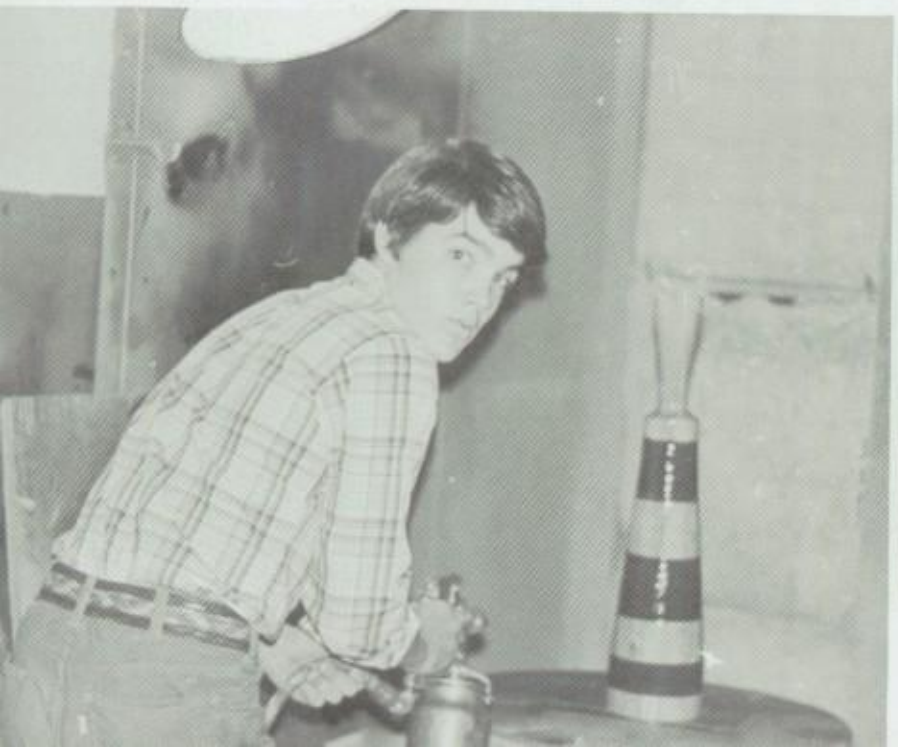

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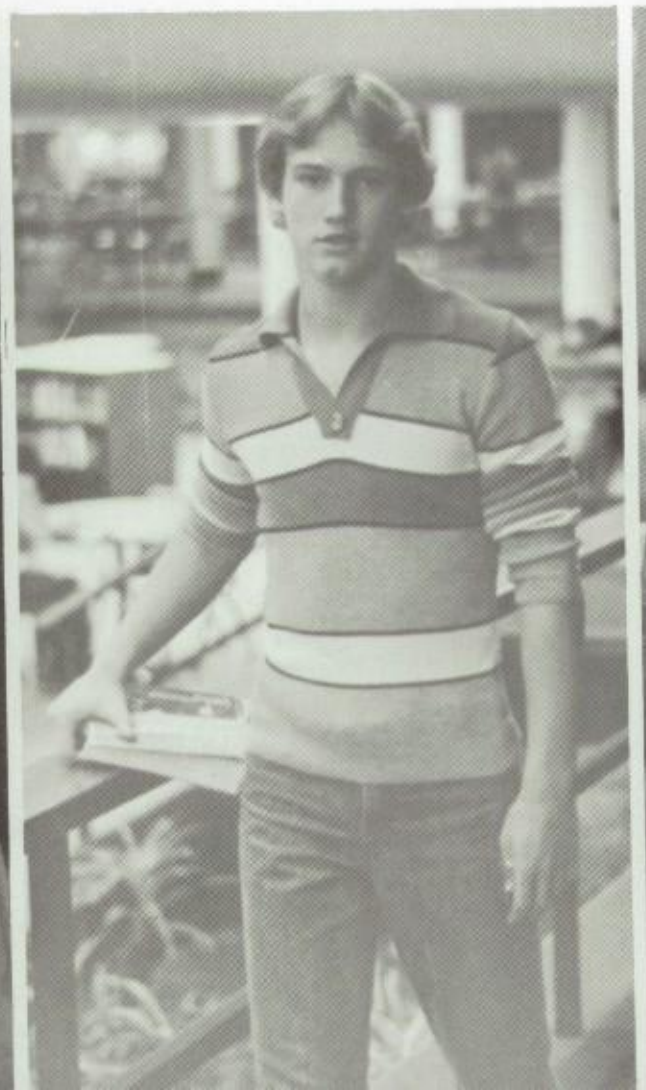

FRESHMEN FAIRY TALE

Once upon a time in the faraway land of Ihpled, there existed a group of teenagers called "Freshmen." These freshmen attended a strange establishment known as "High School." They weren't as smart as the Seniors, as outgoing as the Juniors, or as adjusted as the Sophomores, but they managed to get along fairly well with everyone. They weren't well-to-do, as they were just starting out in life, but with the help of their leaders Mr. John Beach and Mrs. Julie Heiner, they met all of their expenses. TLS

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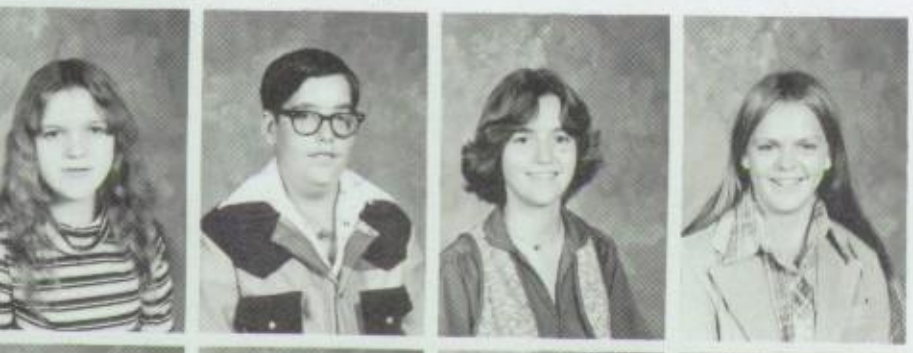

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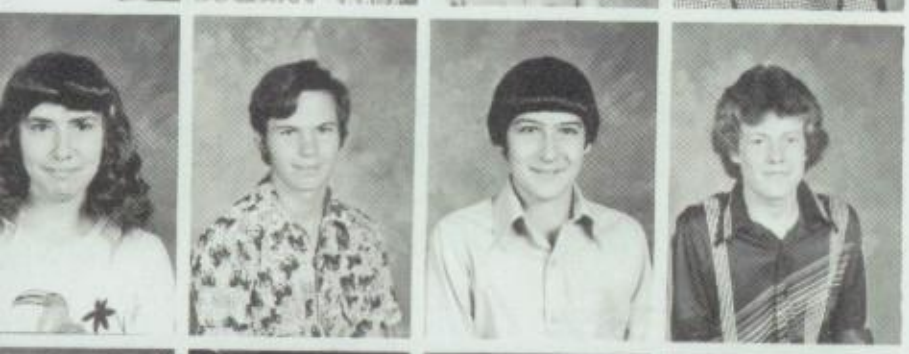

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FRESHMAN CLASS OFFICERS: ROW 1: Pres. Lisa Jenkins. *ROW 2:* V.P. Rita Franek and Sec. Kristi Campbell. *ROW 3:* Treas. Karla Pearson. *ROW 4:* Sponsors Mr. John Beach and Mrs. Julie Heiner.

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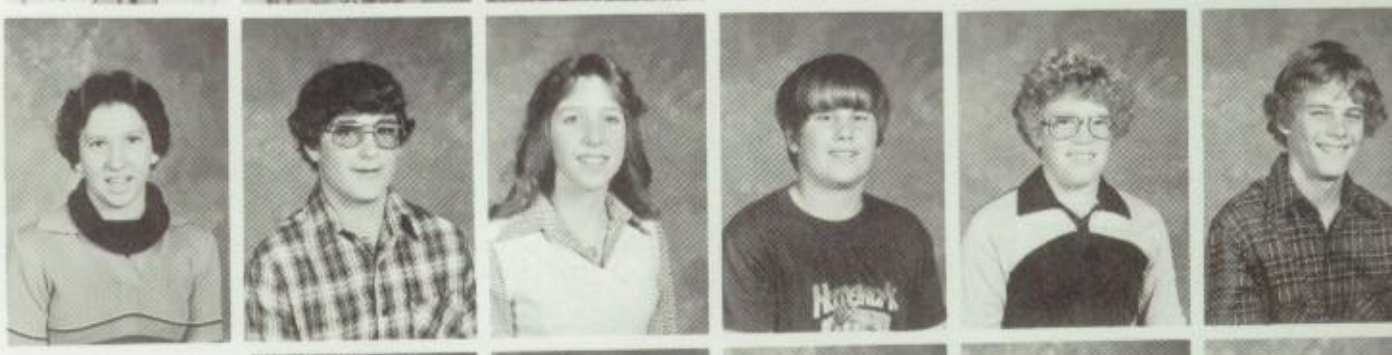

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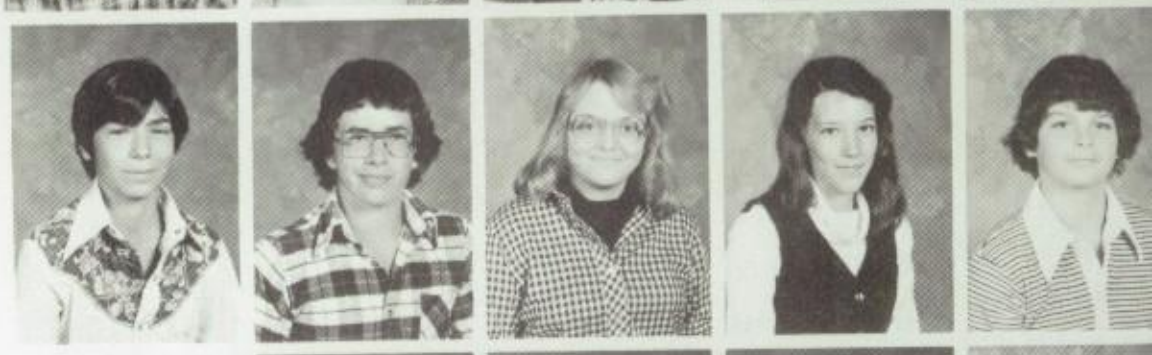

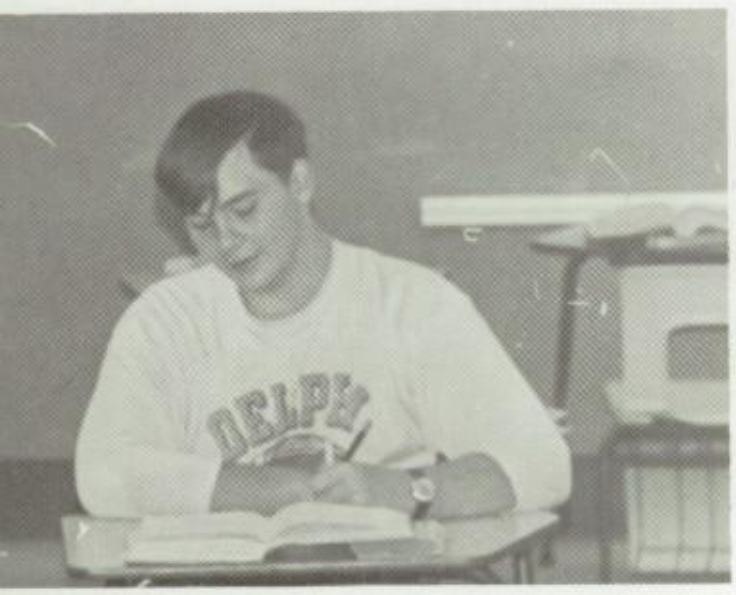

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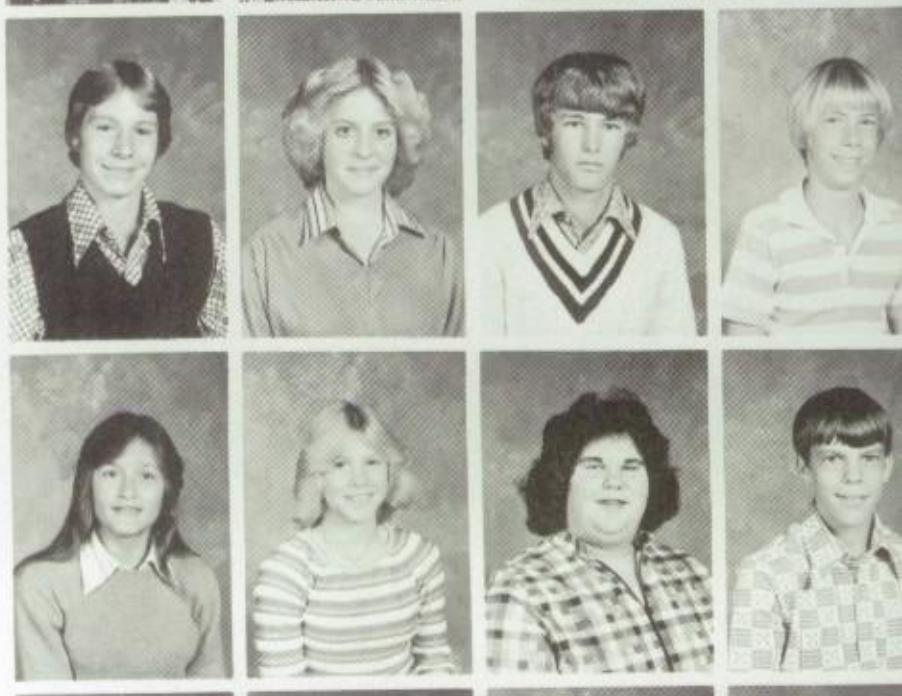

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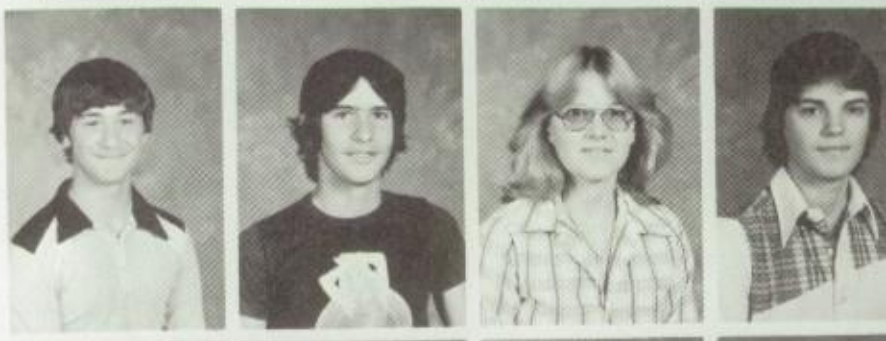

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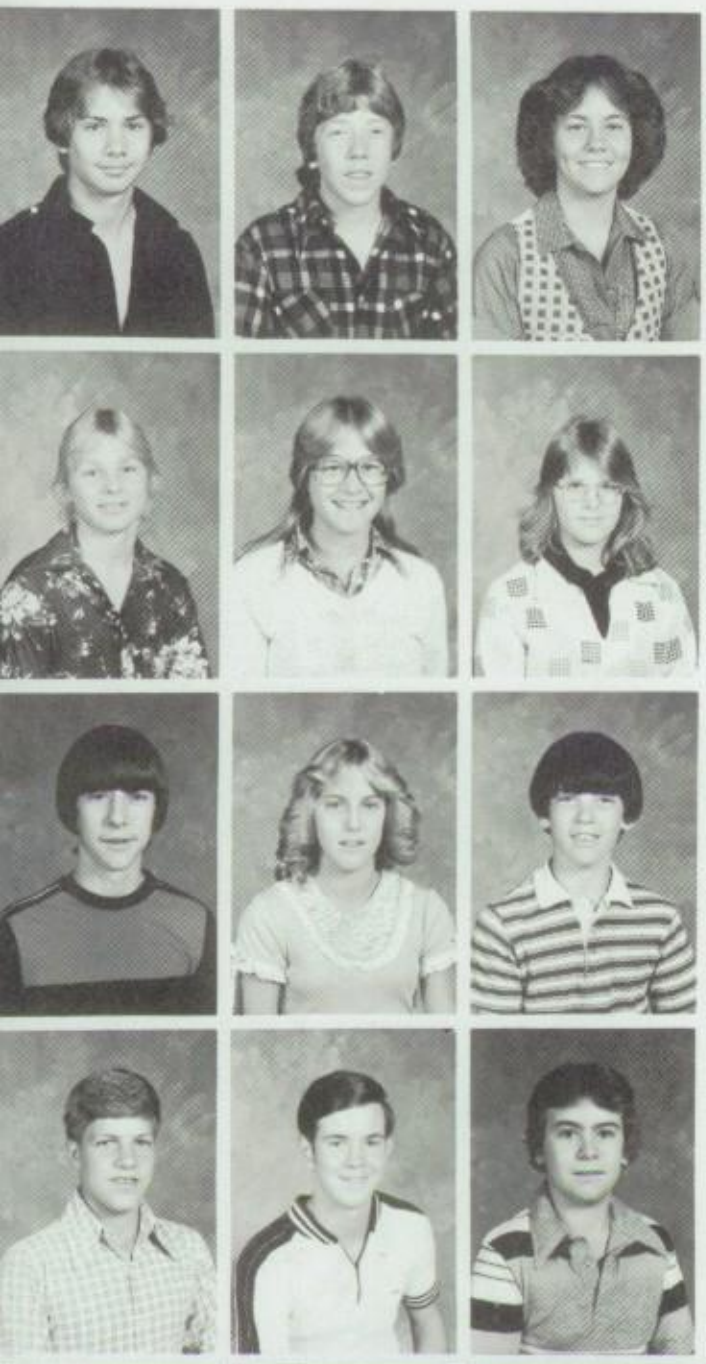

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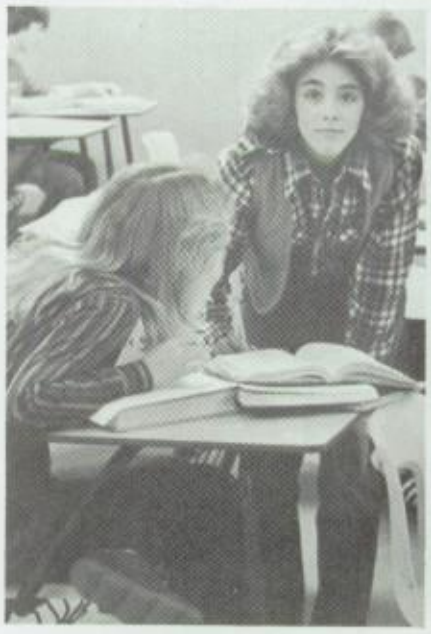

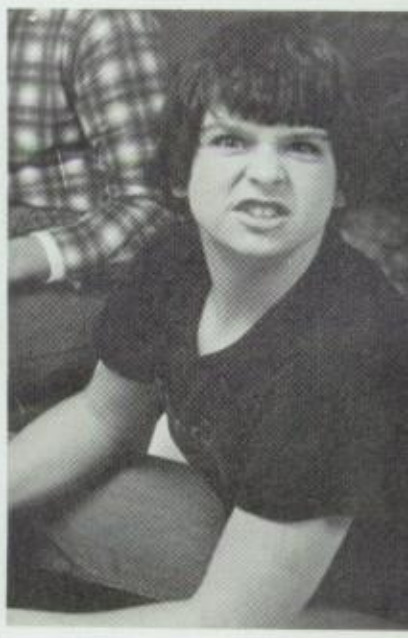

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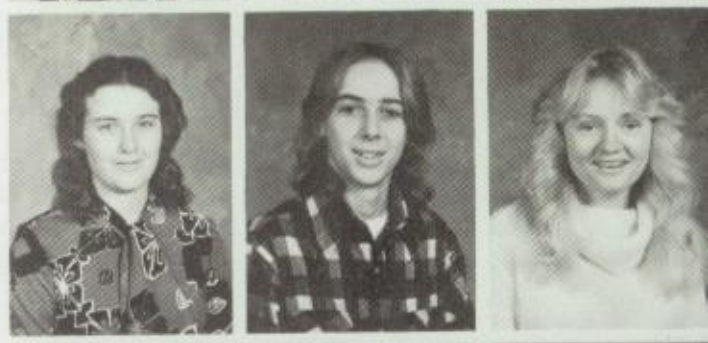

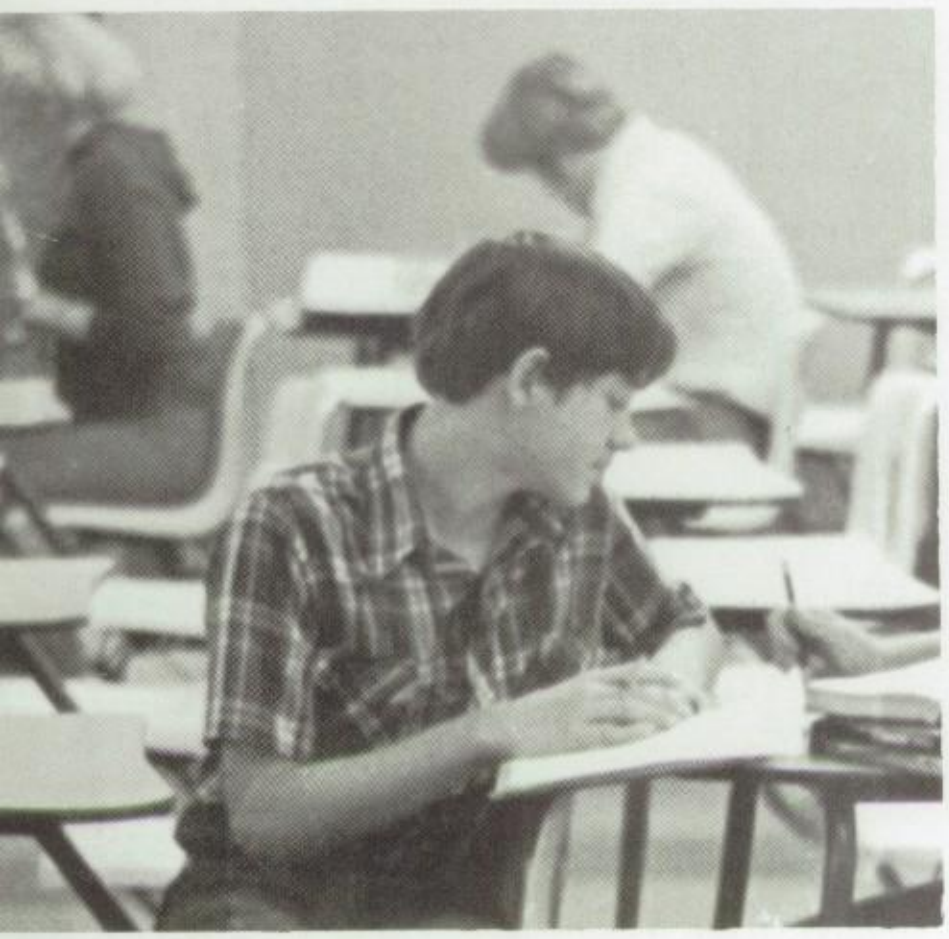

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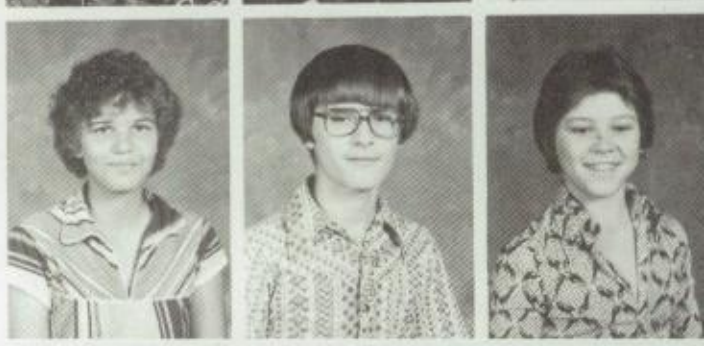

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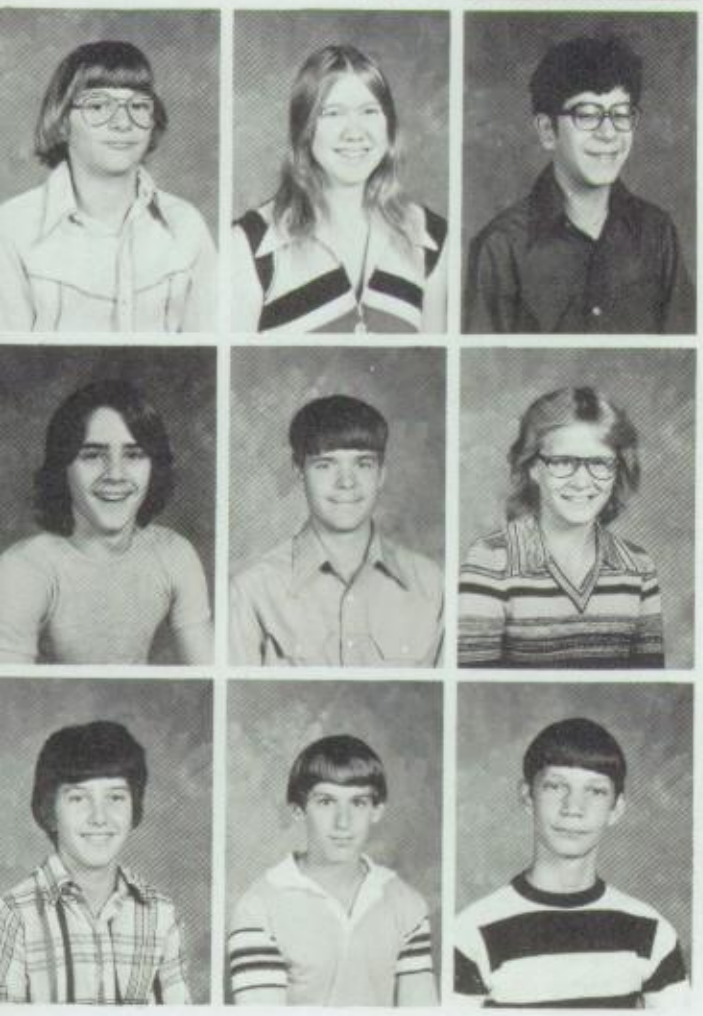

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Not pictured: Royce Richardson

GROUNDWORK OF DCHS

The Board of School Trustees serves as policy makers and is the voice of the community. The superintendent implements the dicates of the board. The high school principal leads the faculty in developing a program that is modern in technique and practical in use. The assistant principal works directly with the student body. The secretarial staff assists in communication of plans on all levels and acts as the official record keeper of the school.

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1. *Board of School Trustees:* President LAWRENCE STAUFFER, HAROLD NIPPLE, WILLIAM DUFF, Vice President GEORGE RINGER, Secretary CHARLES DICKINSON, HERSHEL TRAPP, and new member LLOYD ANDERSON. 2. Secretary EDITHE BERNINGER and Superintendent ARTHUR O. WEDDELL. 3. Secretaries POLLY GRANTHAM and MARTHA CALVERT. 4. Bookkeeper RITA WINGARD discusses a school matter with Middle School Principal WILLIAM JARGSTORF. 5. Assistant Principal RODGER E. SMITH and Receptionist MADELINE KESNER. 6. High School Principal GARALD F. MANAHAN and his personal secretary, PATRICIA LOHRMAN.

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DCHS administrators and secretaries were asked if they had fantasies. They said, yes. Mr. Manahan: "I always dreamed of being a commercial pilot and to fly Amphibian planes." P. Lohrman: "This little-farmer's-daughter always wanted to be a fashion model." R. Smith: "To live a serendipitous life." M. Kesner: "Years ago my husband, two daughters, and I, vacationed on Mackinac Island and rode the island's entire circumference on tandem bicycles — we were all in good health. I am sure my fantasy would be to relive that almost perfect day."

1. ROBERT CONNER, *Guidance Director* and DORIS GOSLEE, *Guidance Secretary.* 2. JOAN HATTER, *Athletic Secretary* with NORM EBRITE, *Athletic Director.* 3. ABEL ALVAREZ, *Spanish.* 4. EARLEEN ALVAREZ, *English.* 5. ROYCE ARMSTRONG, *Band/Music.* 6. LAURA BAKER, *English.* 7. LINDA BAUMGARTNER, *Librarian.* 8. JOHN P. BEACH, *Industrial Arts.*

The members of the high school faculty were asked "If you could spend a week on Fantasy Island what utopian idea would you carry out?" R. Conner: "I would like to be the guy who runs Fantasy Island, so that I could help create other people's fantasies . . . *plus,* I need the money." D. Goslee: "To stay as long as I wanted anyplace, to be waited on like I was royalty and explore the Island surrounded by six body guards to protect me from all of its mysteries." J. Hatter: "I have my fantasy — I am a swinging Grandma!" N. Ebrite: "I'm the unknown amateur who has just shot a "59" in the National Open." A. Alvarez: "To walk through the streets of Hemingway's Pamploma *again* with a *bota* "slung" over my shoulder — all this during the "Fiesta of San Fermen." E. Alvarez: "I fantasize that I have all interested, attentive, students and that my yearbook photo resembles "Farrah." A. Armstrong: "A life time of free passes to all the restaurants and night clubs in New Orleans." L. Baker: "My fantasy? To live on an island in a lake in the wilds of Canada; to have a comfortable home there with an enclosed heated swimming pool, rooms full of books, a piano, a pipe organ, and lots of plants; to have all physical needs taken care of (lots of wood for my fireplace, supplemental heat, lights, and food) — leaving me free to read, to study music, to write, to observe the natural phemonena around me, to enjoy being alive in God's world — this is my fantasy (i.e. — "imagination unrestrained by reality)." L. Baumgartner: "My fantasy is to be the best golfer on the L.P.G.A. tour and to win the U.S. Women's Open." J. Beach: "I guess if I had a fantasy it would be to walk into class someday — all students would be present, in their seat, quiet, and with a *pencil.* As class progressed, they would listen intently and raise their hand when they wished to speak. At the end of the classtime, they would all know what had gone on during the class period."

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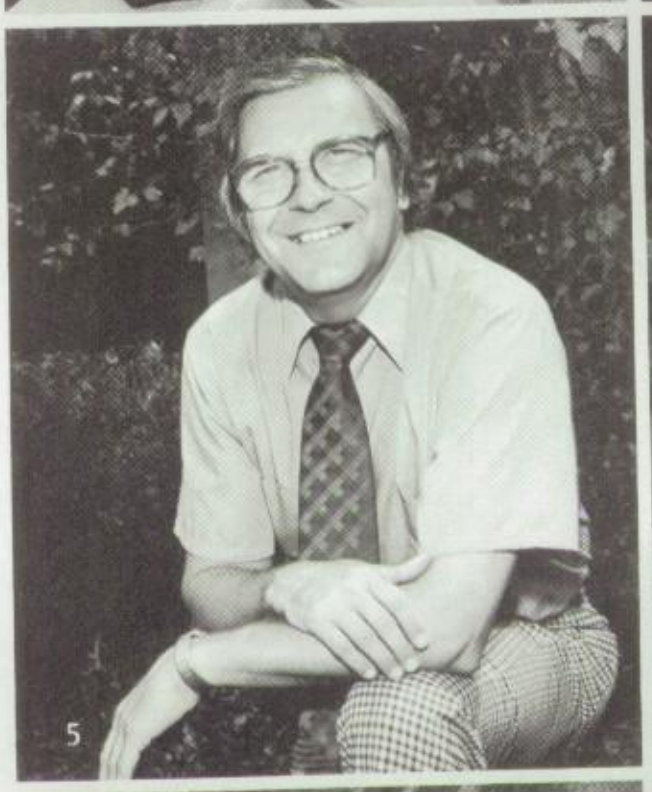
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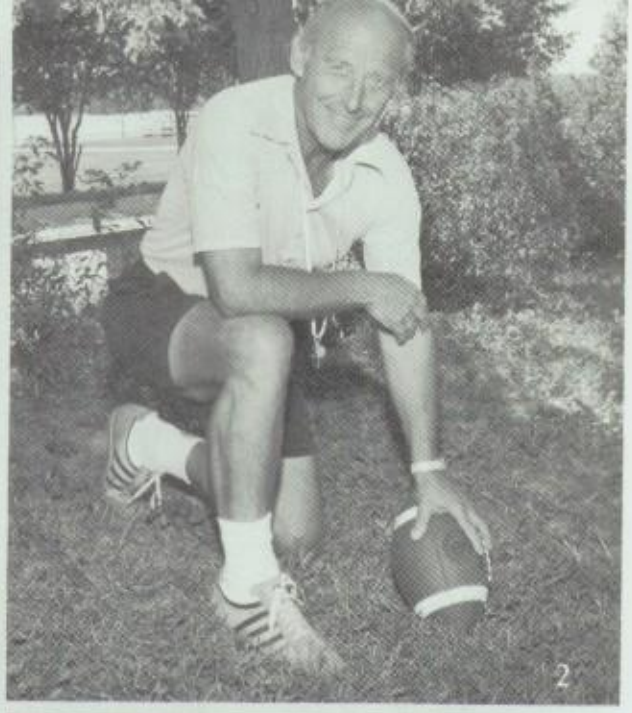
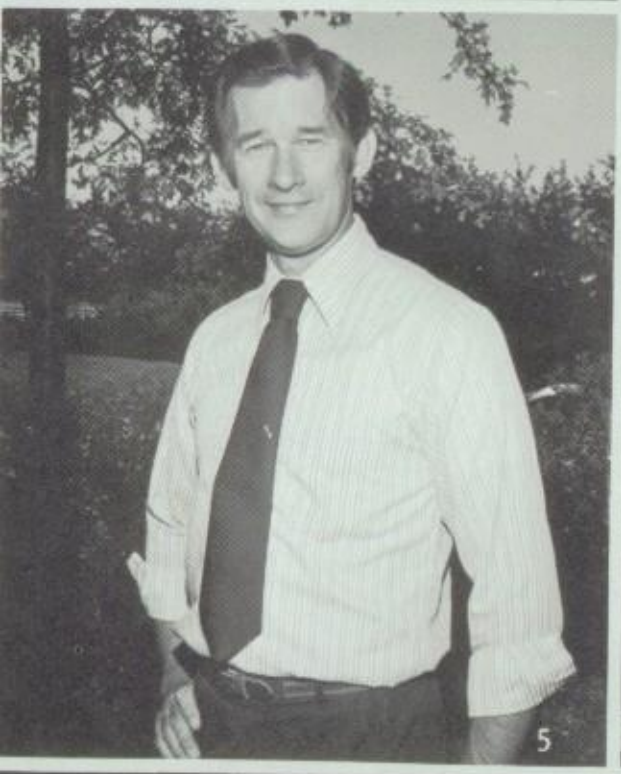
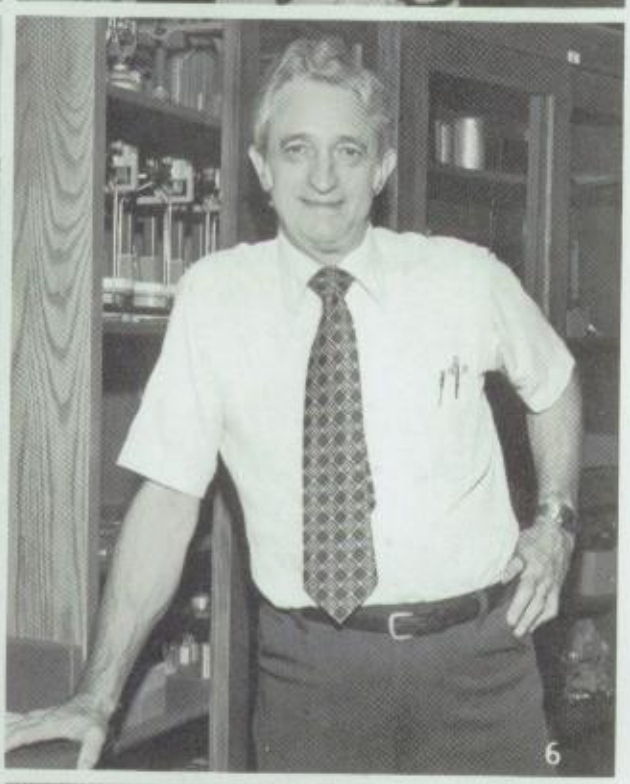
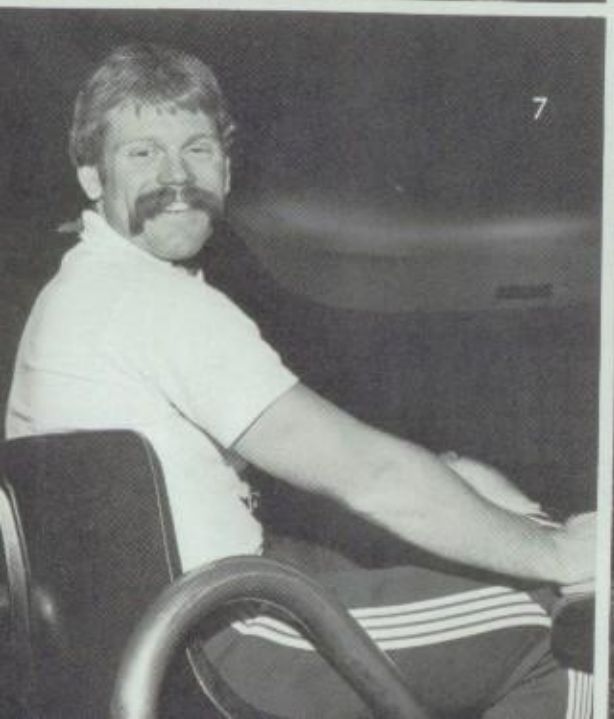
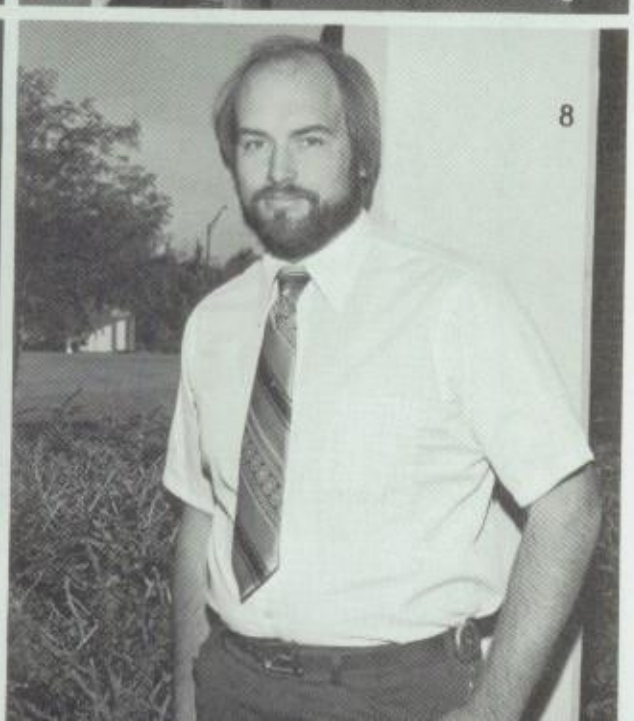








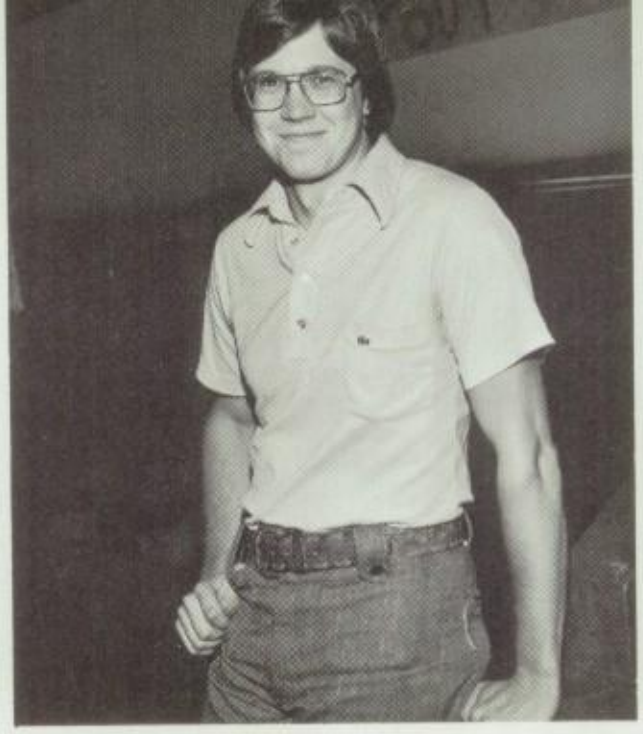


FACULTY FANTASIES

1. DAVID BEALE, *Social Studies.* 2. TONY BERTO, *Physical Education.* 3. JUDITH BOONE, *Bookbindery Director.* 4. BEDEVA BOWLING, *Home Economics.* 5. MORRIS BUCK, *English/Drama.* 6. CHARLES GEHEB, *Science.* 7. ROBERT GORDON, *Pool Director.* 8. WILLIAM GRAY, *Industrial Arts.*

D. Beale: "I would like to travel through time to see the past and the future. I would like to meet Alexander The Great, sail with the Phoenicians, march with Cortez, study with Newton, and know the results of our actions today." T. Berto: "To participate in a World Professional Golf Tour upon my retirement, and capture the Golfer of the Year Award (playing left handed)." J. Boone: "I could live in most any fantasy world, as long as there were no dishes to wash, no laundry to do, and no floors to vacuum." B. Bowling: "I would just like to lie on the beach and have all my freckles merge into a golden tan — without getting a sunburn, of course." M. Buck: "I would take a REAL safari into the jungles of Africa and/or cruise down the Amazon River treking into the Green Hell of South America." C. Geheb: "A week eating banana cream pies and chocalate cake with no calories — all students would come to class with their homework done." R. Gordon: "One on one with a great white shark in the swimming pool. *I* win, of course!" W. Gray: "If schools and governments were necessary on *Fantasy Island,* and I were in a position similar to my present job, I would have students eager to cooperate and learn and money available in the "right funds" sufficient to accomplish the goals and priorities agreed upon by all those most important to our island and its citizens."

EDNA GRIMM, *Business Education.*



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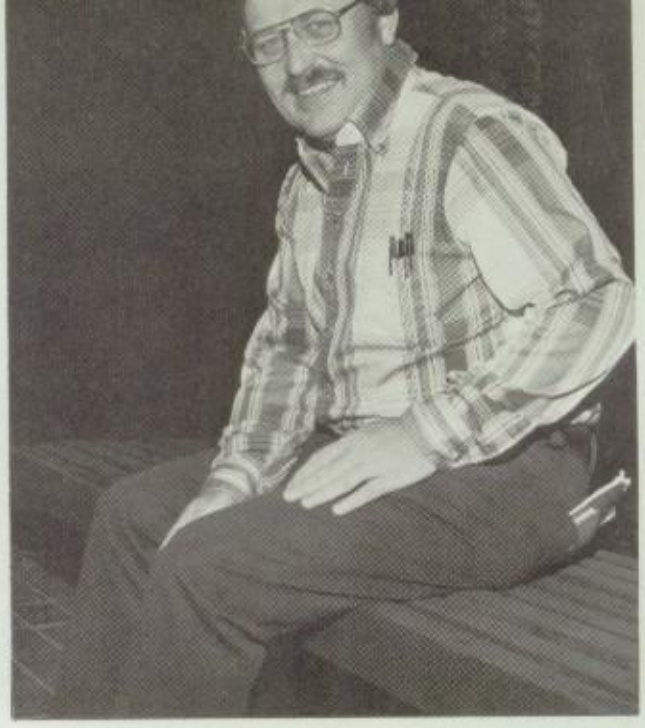

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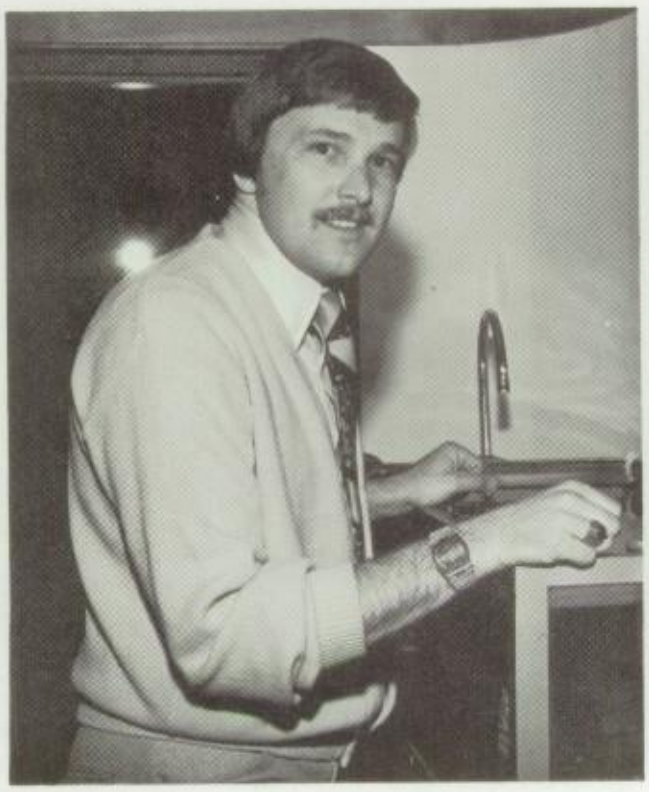

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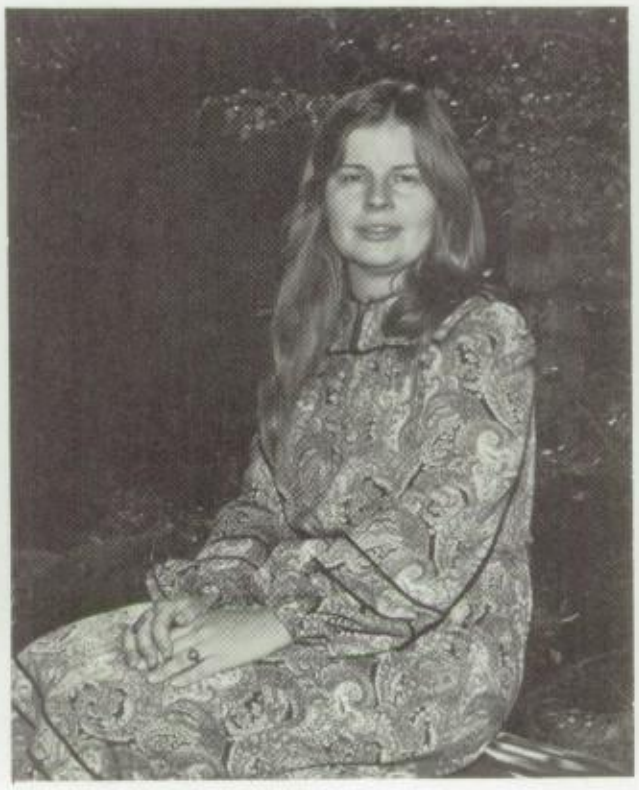


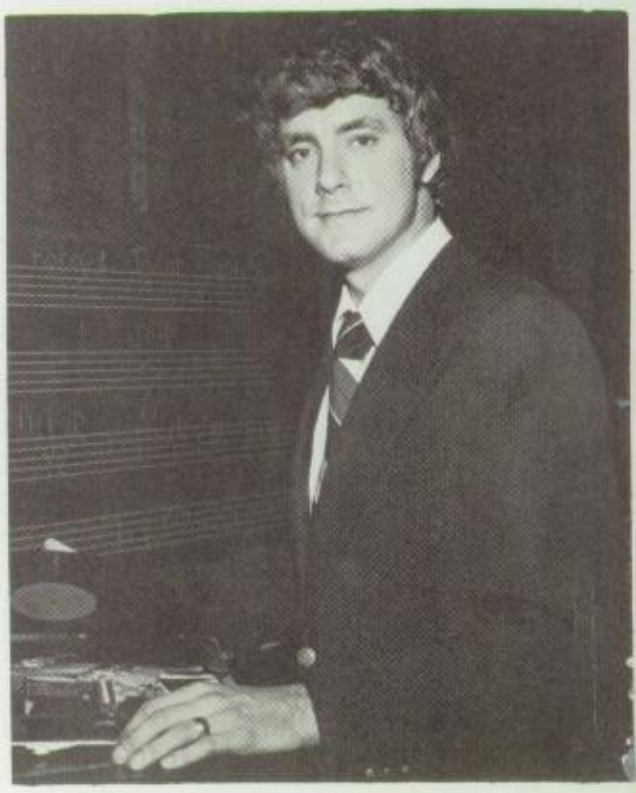
JULIE HEINER, *English/Art.*

JANICE KAMP, *Guidance Counselor.*

E. Grimm: "I think they need a hostess on Fantasy Island — might be "interesting!" No typewriters, calculators, or duplicating machines!! Most problems end in happy results." T. Hammond: "My fantasy would be to drive a brand new Fleetwood Cadillac in a demolition derby . . . a car that I didn't have to pay for, of course!" D. Hanna: "To be allowed to observe the evolution of the world's plants and animals over the last couple of billion years." L. Hartshorn: "My fantasy would be that all the people I met here would have an accent like the people of New England, and there would be mountains large enough to enable one to ski on." J. Heiner: "To play the cello with Rostropovich and to paint with Picasso." J. Kamp: "My fantasy is to become the personnel social director on the first outer space "Love Boat" Cruise ship as it tours the galaxy." K. Kayser: "To be on a desert island and look at Dolly Parton's "vocal cords."

Visit Galaxy

KEVIN KAYSER, *Choir/Music.*



DEMOLITION DRIVER

SALLY KNIGHT, *Physical Education.*

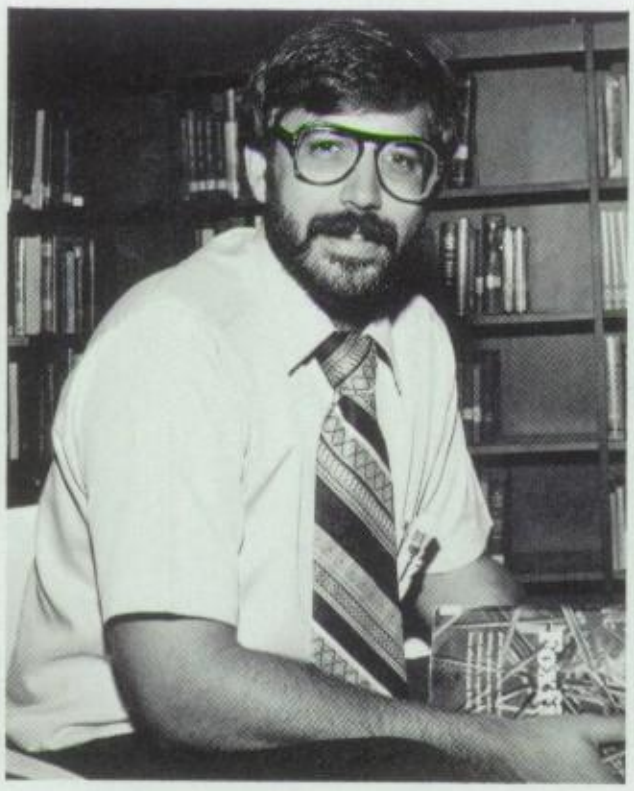
SURFING & SUNNING

S. Knight: "My fantasy would be to live out everyone of the teacher's fantasies on Fantasy Island!!" E. Kochert: If I had a chance to go to Fantasy Island, my fantasy would be chocolate covered, cream filled, wind pudding and air pies to be served in a tree house after Mr. Toad's wild ride." M. Lane: "My fantasy would be to live on the beach in Hawaii for one month surfing and sunning." L. Lewellen: "I would like to have an unlimited supply of money so that I could be able to travel at will." J. Lichtenberger: "I would coach the winning team at the Indiana State Basketball Tourney." J. McIntire: "To be able to have the time to myself. No kids, animals, or husband." C. Maher: "I'd like to be able to fly (self-propelled type of thing) *anywhere* in just a short period time. Also, I'd like to be able to have a beautiful baby from six months to one year around constantly. I love that age of children and enjoy taking care of them."

Wind pudding

EDNA KOCHERT, *P.V.E.*

MICHAEL LANE, *Business Education.*



LINDA LEWELLEN, *French-/German.*

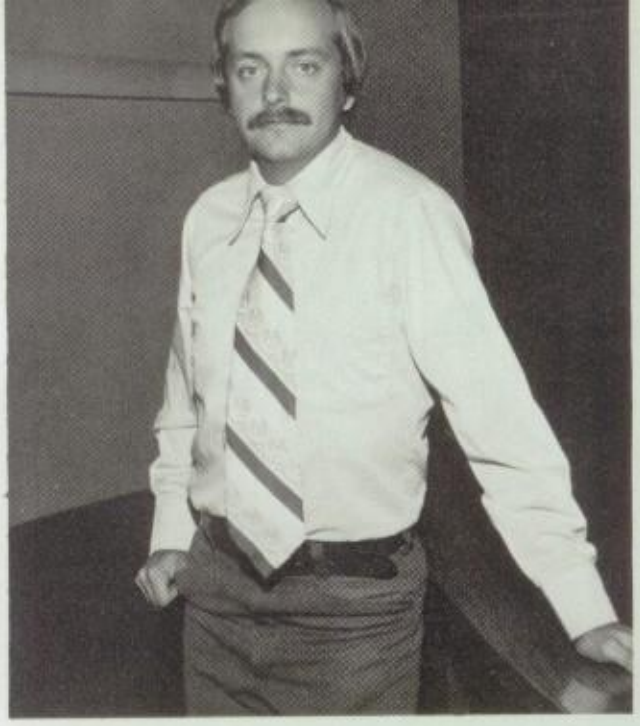
JIM LICHTENBERGER, *Social Studies.*

JANE McINTIRE, *Business/ Home Ec.*

CLAUDIA MAHER, *I.C.E.*

PARKING — 50¢ PER HOUR

S. Mathis: "My fantasy would be something that I wouldn't want printed in the yearbook!" N. Miller: "My fantasy would be that my '66 Pontiac "Red Beast" would turn into a 1979 Rolls Royce with a large magnetic sign on its door which said — *"Parking Lot Attendant. Price: 50¢ First Hour & 25¢ For Each Hour Thereafter."* W. Morrison: "My fantasy is that I hope the agriculture department of Delphi Community High School will become a stronger chapter in the years ahead." C. Nattermann: "To move into a secluded, plush log cabin near the beach." M. Oliphant: "To go to Fantasy Island and go on a buying spree and not have to hem a thing! I often fantasize that I am 5'10" tall." R. Overbeck: "I have no fantasy." G. Parker: "To be a professional golfer and win the Masters, U.S. Open, British Open, and PGA Championships — the grand slam of golf."



STUART MATHIS, *Mathematics.*

Win PGA

NORMAN MILLER, *Social Studies.*

WILLIAM MORRISON, *Agriculture.*

CHERYL NATTERMANN, *Physical Education.*

MABLE OLIPHANT, *English.*

RUTH OVERBECK, *Health Occupations.*

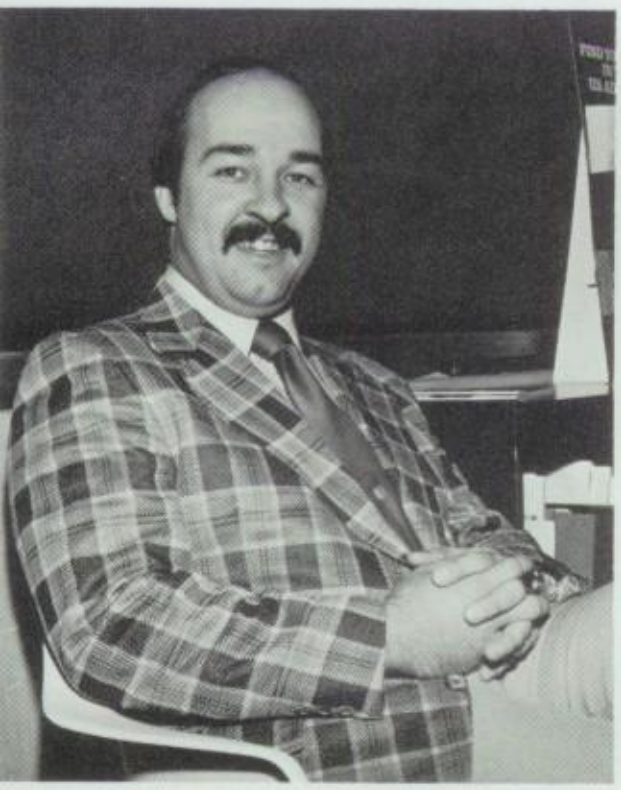
GREG PARKER, *Physical Education.*

JACK SANDERS, *Art.*

No deadline

J. Sanders: "I envision a day when I can calmly press a button and out comes instantly made yearbooks superior in quality and design, with no financial problems to solve, and no *deadlines* to meet!" M. Sanders: "I'm not at liberty to release the contents of my fantasies at this time. The American Psychiatric Association is in the process of researching and analysing and it looks to be a long while before the results are in. But, don't despair, Warner Brothers is negotiating for the silver screen, a paper-back version is on the presses at Doubleday. Names, unfortunately, will be changed to protect the unsuspecting." J. Seurynck: "My fantasy would be to live in a world of peace and understanding. This would be based upon the principles and lives of the great teachers of history. Although this world would not necessarily be perfect, the inhabitants would learn the art of self-forgiveness and of self value and in so doing, the forgiveness of others and of their values. Come to think of it, this may not be such an impossible fantasy!" J. Sullivan: "To be a lineman of the Wireless Telegraph Company, reporting to work at 12:00 noon. Getting off at 1:00 P.M. with an hour off for lunch." R. Tyner: "My fantasy would be to be in Wrigley Field watching the Chicago Cubs win the World Series." J. Wilcox: "My fantasy would be to own, operate, and manage a cattle and horse ranch." C. Wolfe: "My fantasy would be to have a maid, a personal secretary, and a chauffeur to drive me to school where I then would have enthusiastic students that would understand something the first time I explained it."

MICHAEL SANDERS, *Pre-Vocational Education Director.*



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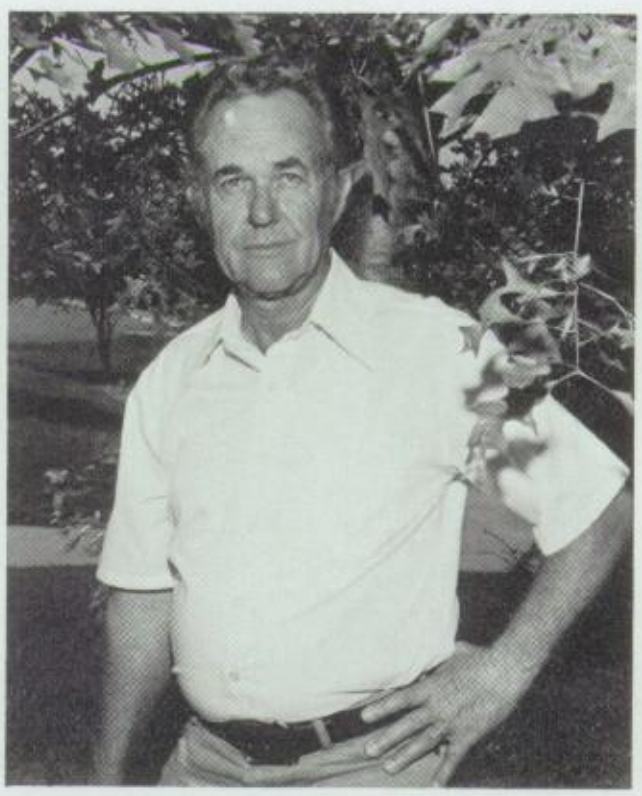
JAMES SULLIVAN, *Building Trades.*



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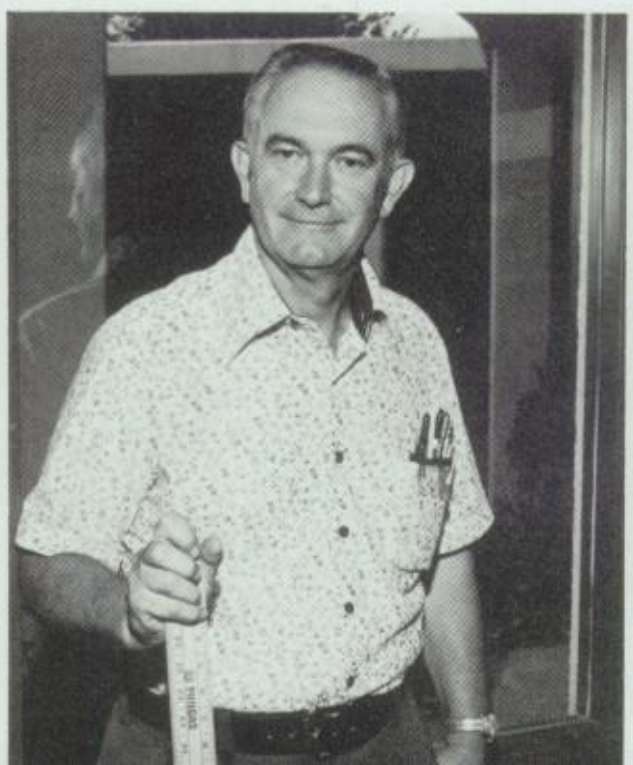
JOHN WILCOX, *Mathematics.*



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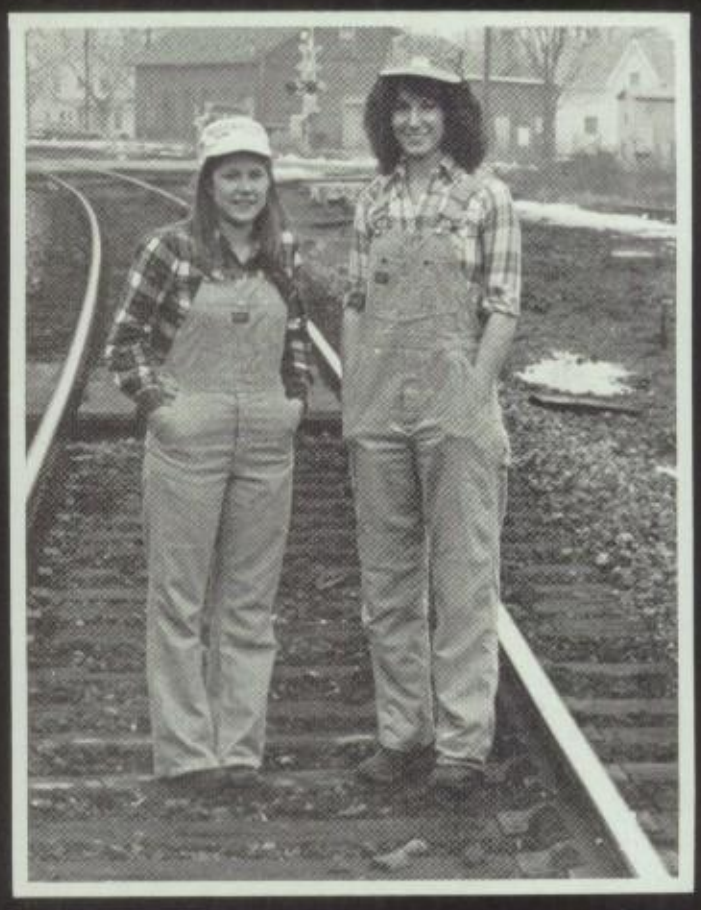

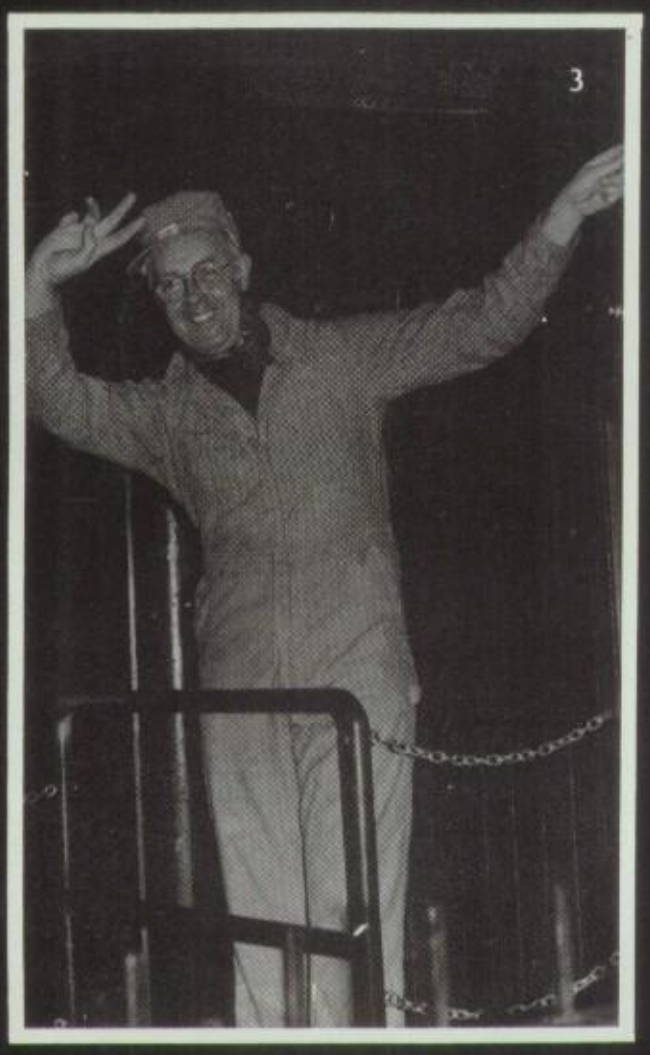

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ALL ABOARD

When the train of life stops at your station, be ready for whatever route it might take you. Though its tracks will lead to new adventures don't forget the memories of the times spent at the DCHS depot.

Celena Crume, editor.
Lori Campbell, co-editor.

SENIOR INDEX

AFS (American Field Service)
AV (Audio Visual)
CAM (Custom Auto Mechanics)
Chess (Club)
D-Men (Varsity 'D')
D-Women (Varsity 'D')
EAC (Environmental Action Club)
FCA (Fellowship of Christian Athletes)
FCOM (Food Committee)
French (Club)
FFA (Future Farmers of America)
FHA (Future Homemakers of America)
German (Club)
HEY (Home Ec. for Youth)
MRC (MRC Aides)
NHS (National Honor Society)
OEA (Office Education Association)
Sci-Math (Science-Math Club)
S.G.E. (Senior Girls' Ensemble)
Soc. Stu. (Social Studies Club)
Spanish (Club)
Stu. Co. (Student Council)
SSS (Sunshine Society)
YARC (Youth Association for Retarded Citizens)
Boys' Barbershop
Boys' Pep
Cheerleaders
Chorus
Class Officer
Delphettes
Entertainers
Flag Girls
Girls' Beautyshop
Girls' Pep
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Pep Band
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Top Twenty

ABBOTT BRIAN RAY — Chess 12; Chorus 9, 10, 11, 12; Entertainers 11, 12; Madrigal 12; NHS 11, 12; Sci-Math 12; Spanish 9, 10, 11, 12; Baseball 9R, 10R, 11V, 12V; Basketball 9F, 10R; Boys' State Alt. 11; Jr. Rotarian 12; "Hello Dolly."

ALBERTS GARY LEE — Boys' Pep 9, 10, 11, 12; CAM 11, 12; FFA 9, 10.

ANDERSON, JERILYN SUE — AFS 10; Band 9, 10, 11, 12; NHS 11, 12; Pep Band 9, 12; Spanish 9, 10, 11, 12; Stage Band 12; SSS 12.

ANDERSON NORMAN LEE — Boys' Pep 9, 10, 11, 12; FCOM 9; FFA 9, 11, 12T; Hi-Y 12.

BAKER, JANICE IRENE — German 9; HEY 9, 10VP, 11P, 12; YARC 9, 10, 11VP, 12P; Jr. Marshall 11; "The King and I."

BASSET PAMELA

BEALE NANCY LIZABETH — AFS 11; Chorus 10, 11, 12; Delphettes 9; Entertainers 11, 12; Flag Girls 11; Girls' Pep 9, 10, 11, 12; Band 9; NHS 11, 12; Parnassus 12; Pom Pon 9, 10, 11; S.G.E. 12; Spanish 11, 12; SSS 12; Tennis 10R, 11R, 12V; Prom Comm. 11; Sr. Commencement Comm. 12; "The King and I," "Hello Dolly."

BEALE THERESA ANN — Delphettes 9; Girls' Pep 10, 11, 12; Band 9; Spanish 9, 10, 11, 12; SSS 12; Jr. Marshall 11; Sr. Commencement Comm. 12

BEAMER KIM — FFA 9.

BIRGE CATHY DEAN — Spanish 10; SSS 11; Attended Carroll High School, Flora, IN 9.

BRANDT NICOLETTE — Parnassus 12; Stu. Co. 12; Jr. Rotarian 12; "Hello Dolly;" Attended Kimberly Girls' High School, Kimberly, South Africa 10, 11, 12.

BROWN MIKE E — Attended Warsaw Comm. Freshman High, Warsaw, IN 9; Warsaw High School Warsaw, IN 10, 11.

BROWN PHILL GENE — Boys' Pep 12; D-Men 11, 12; Chorus 11, 12; Entertainers 11, 12; Hi-Y 12; NHS 11, 12; Sci-Math 11, 12; Swimming 11V, 12V-C; Tennis 11V, 12V; Track 11V, 12V; Jr. Rotarian 12; Attended Twin Lakes High School, Monticello, IN 9, 10.

BROWN TINA MARIE — FFA 9; Girls' Pep 9R, 12; NHS 11, 12; OEA 10, 11; SSS 10, 11, 12P; Jr. Marshall 11.

BURTON BRIAN DON — D-Men 9, 10, 11, 12; CAM 11S-T, 12S-T; Stu. Co. 9R, 10R, 11R, 12R; Swimming 9R, 10V, 11V, 12V-C; Track 9V, 10V, 11V, 12V; Football 9F, 10R, 11V, 12V.

CANEN JEFF PAUL — Band 9, 10; Pep Band 9, 10; Football 9F, 10R.

CLAWSON JEFFREY B

CLAWSON PAT FENTERS — Boys' Pep 10, 11, 12; D-Men 11, 12; Cheerleaders 12; Wrestling 9R, 10R, 11V, 12V-C; Football 9F, 11R, 12V.

CLEM KENT ROLLIN — "The King and I."

CLIFFORD JAMES HUGH — D-Men 10, 11, 12; Swimming 9R, 10V, 11V; Tennis 10R, 11V; Track 9R, 10V; Football 9F, 12V; Voted: To be most successful in Art.

COLLINS CLYDE — CAM 11, 12.

CREE CONNIE ELAINE — AFS 10, 11; Girls' Pep 9, 10, 11, 12; Band 9, 10, 11, 12; NHS 11, 12; Stage Band 9, 10, 11, 12; SSS 12; Prom Comm. 11; Sr. Commencement Comm. 12; "The Boyfriend," "Hello Dolly;" Voted: Most likely to win the Nobel Peace Prize.

CRUME CELENA SUSANNE — Class Officer 12T; D-Women 9, 10, 11, 12P; Band 9, 10; NHS 11, 12; ORACLE 11Co-Ed, 12Ed; Sci-Math 11, 12; Spanish 9, 10, 11; Stu. Co. 12; Basketball 9R-C, 10V, 11V, 12V-C; Tennis 10V, 11V, 12V; Tracl 9V; Volleyball 9R, 10V, 11V-C, 12V-C; Jr. Marshall 11; Voted: Most likely to be President.

CULL JANELLA ANN — Delphettes 9; D-Women 10, 11, 12; Spanish 10, 11, 12; Basketball 9R, 10V, 11M; Tennis 10R, 11R; Volleyball 9R, 10R, 11V.

DALTON STEVE LEE — YARC 11.

DENHART RICHARD LEE — Boys' Pep 9, 10, 11, 12; D-Men 11, 12; Hi-Y 11, 12P; NHS 11, 12VP; ORACLE 11, 12; Sci-Math 11, 12; Spanish 9, 10, 11, 12; Basketball 9F; Wrestling 10R, 11V, 12V; Golf 9R, 10R, 11V, 12V; Football 9F, 10R, 11V, 12V; Boys' State 11; Jr. Rotarian 12; "Hello Dolly;" Voted: Most likely to make a million dollars.

DILLMAN DAN LEE — FFA 9, 10, 11.

DILLON KIM ANN — Girls' Pep 9; HEY 9, 10, 11, 12; OEA 10, 11; YARC 12.

DILLON TRACY LYNN

DISINGER BETH ANN — Girls' Pep 9, 10, 11, 12; SSS 11, 12; YARC 9, 10.

DOWNING KENNETH JOSEPH

DRAPER DARRYL KEVIN

DRISCOL RICHARD — Boys' Pep 10, 11, 12; Chess 11, 12; Band 9, 10, 11; Pep Band 10; Sci-Math 11, 12; Spanish 9, 10; Stage Band 10, 11; Baseball 11V, 12V; Intrumural 12.

DUNBAR GREGORY ALAN — FFA 9; Intrumural 11; Football 9F, 10R, 11R, 12V; Voted: Most likely to have a large family.

DYER DORA ELLEN — AFS 9; FFA 10; FHA 10; Girls' Pep 9; Spanish 9; SSS 9, 10; YARC 9; Prom Comm. 11; Jr. Marshall 11.

EMMITT WILLIAM JEFFREY — Intrumural 11; Footbal 9F.

FASSNACHT DICK A — D-Men 9, 10; FFA 9, 10, 11, 12; Wrestling 9R, 10R; Intrumural 11.

FLORA RANDI JOE — CAM 11, 12; FFA 9, 10, 11.

FOSTER KATRINA MARIE — Jr. Marshall 11; "The Boyfriend."

FRYE ROD LEE — FFA 10, 11, 12.

GARRISON JAMES BRIAN — Boys' Pep 9, 10, 11, 12; D-Men 12; French 9, 10; FFA 9, 10, 11, 12P; Hi-Y 11, 12; Wrestling 10R; Football 11V, 12V.

GARTH TIMOTHY CHARLES — Chorus 12; Entertainers 12; Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Madrigal 12; Pep Band 12; Spanish 9, 10, 11, 12; Theta 12; Swimming 9F, 10R, 11R, 12V; "The King and I," "Hello Dolly;" Voted: Most likely to be an Actor.

GOAD LISA FAYE — FFA 10; Girls' Pep 9; D-Women 10, 11, 12; OEA 10, 11, 12; SSS 11, 12; YARC 9, 10, 11; Swimming 9V, 10V, 11V-C, 12V-C.

GRAY TIM H — Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Hi-Y 12; NHS 11, 12; Pep Band 9, 10; Sci-Math 11, 12; Spanish 9; Stage Band 10, 11, 12; Swimming 12V; Jr. Rotarian 12.

GRIFFITH SHIRLEY ANN — D-Women 10, 11, 12; OEA 10, 11, 12; Basketball 9R, 10V, 11V, 12V; Track 9V, 10V, 11V, 12V; Voted: Class Comedian.

HANKINS BRUCE ALLEN

HARSHBARGER DOUGLAS KEITH — Chess 10, 11, 12; Hi-Y 12; NHS 11, 12; Sci-Math 12; Spanish 9, 10, 11, 12S; Track 10R; Jr. Rotarian 12; Boys' State Alt. 11; "Hello Dolly."

HATHAWAY KEVIN LAYNE — D-Men 11, 12; Entertainers 9, 10, 11, 12; Band 9, 10, 11, 12; NHS 11, 12; Pep Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Stage Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Basketball 9F, 10R, 11V, 12V; Cross Country 9R, 10V, 11V, 12V; Track 9F; Prom Comm. 11; Boys' State 11; Jr. Rotarian 11; "The Boyfriend."

HEALEY LAWRENCE DALE — CAM 12; Football 9F.

HEFNER WILLIAM EARL — German 9, 10P, 11; Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Pep Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Stage Band 9, 10, 11, 12.

HERR DENISE — SSS 11, 12.

HILL ROBERT CHARLES — FFA 9, 10; YARC 10; Intrumural 11.

HILDEBRANDT PATRICIA JO — Girls' Pep 9.

HINKLE THOMAS CLAIR — AV 9, 10; Chorus 12; Entertainers 12; German 9; Madrigal 12; ORACLE 11; Theta 10, 11, 12; Basketball 11M, 12M; "The Boyfriend," "See How They Run," "The King and I," "Hello Dolly."

HOFFMAN MARK WARREN — Boys' Pep 9; D-Men 10, 11, 12; Chess 9, 10, 11, 12; Class Officer 9VP, German 10, 11; Sci-Math 11, 12; Spanish 9; Basketball 9F, 10V, 11V, 12V; Basketball 9V, 10V, 11V, 12V; Football 9F, 10V, 11V, 12V-C; Prom Prince 11; Voted: To be most successful in Sports.

HOLLOWAY NANCY LeANNE — Cheerleaders 9; Chorus 10, 11; Delphettes 9; Flag Girls 11; FCOM 12; Girls' Pep 9, 10, 11, 12; D-Women 9, 10, 11, 12; OEA 9, 10, 11S-T, 12VP; Pom Pon 11; Spanish 9; SSS 10, 11; Track 9V, 10V, 11V, 12V; Prom Comm. 11.

HUFF MELODY ANN — Chorus 10, 11, 12; Delphettes 9; Girls' Pep 9, 10, 11, 12; Madrigal 11, 12; NHS 11, 12; S.G.E. 12; Theta 11, 12; Sr. Commencement Comm. 12; "Ten Little Indians," "The Boyfriend," "The King and I," "Hello Dolly."

HUGHES DANNY E — Boys' Pep 9, 10, 11, 12; Basketball 9F.

HUMMEL CALVIN — Wrestling 9F, 10R, 11V, 12V; Football 9F, 10R.

HUMPHREY CHERYL LEE — Girls' Pep 10, 11; D-Women 12; OEA 11; YARC 10, 11, 12S-T; Volleyball 11R, 12R; Jr. Marshall 11.

JENNINGS LORA LEE — Girls' Pep 9, 10, 11, 12; Swimming 10.

JOHNS STEVEN CRAIG — Boys' Pep 11, 12; D-Men 11, 12; Chess 10, 11, 12; Chorus 12; Entertainers 12; NHS 11, 12; Sci-Math 11, 12; Spanish 9, 10, 11, 12; Theta 12; Baseball 9F, 10R; Tennis 9R, 10V, 11V, 12V-C; Girls' Tennis 12M; Boys' State 11; Jr. Rotarian 12; "Hello Dolly;" Voted: Class Comedian.

JONES BRIAN D — D-Men 11, 12; Chess 11; FFA 9, 10, 11, 12; Basketball 9F; Track 10R, 11V, 12V; Intrumural 9, 10, 11, 12.

KENNEDY TOM R — French 9; FFA 9, 10, 11; Track 9F, 10V; Wrestling 9R, 10R, 11V, 12V; Football 9F, 10R, 11R.

KLECKNER ROBERT JOE — D-Men 12; Chess 9, 10, 11; Class Officer 10P; Basketball 9F, 12V; Intrumural 10, 11; Jr. Rotarian 12; Voted: Most likely to succeed.

KOCH BRUCE — Soc. Stu. 11; Swimming 9F, 10R, 11V; Football 9F.

KREMER LORI ANN — AFS 9, 10, 11VP; Chorus 10, 11, 12; Delphettes 9; Entertainers 10, 11, 12; German 12; Girls' Beautyshop 10, 11, 12; Girls' Pep 9, 10, 11, 12; D-Women 9, 10, 11, 12; Madrigal 9, 10, 11, 12; NHS 11, 12; Sci-Math 12S; S.G.E. 12; Stage Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Theta 9, 10, 11, 12P; Track 9V, 10V, 11V, 12V; Prom Comm. 11; Girls' State 11; "Godspell," "Ten Little Indians," "An Evening of One Acts," "The Boyfriend," "See How They Run," "The King and I," "Hello Dolly;" Voted: Most likely to be an Actress.

LAKE RANDY BRIAN — D-Men 12; Sci-Math 11, 12; Spanish 9, 10, 11, 12; Wrestling 10R, 11V; Football 11R, 12V.

LANE MARY JO HUNT

LANGSTON RICHARD M — FFA 9, 10; Intrumural 11.

LARIMORE JOYCE ANN — SSS 11; Jr. Marshall 11.

LAVY KENNETH LEE — Chess 10; FFA 9, 10, 11.

LEAHY PATRICK T — Boys' Pep 12; D-Men 12; Chess 9, 10, 11, 12; Chorus 10, 11, 12; Entertainers 10, 11, 12; Band 9, 10, 11; Pep Band 9, 10, 11; Sci-Math 11, 12; Spanish 9; Stage Band 10, 11; Tennis 10R, 11R, 12V; Voted: Best Personality.

LEINBERGER WILLIAM JOHN — Boys' Pep 12; D-Men 10, 11, 12; Chess 9, 10, 11, 12; Class Officer 11T, 12P; French 9, 10, 11, 12; Band 9, 10, 11; Hi-Y 12; NHS 11, 12P; Pep Band 9, 10, 11; Sci-Math 12P; Stage Band 11; Stu. Co. 12; Cross Country 12R; Track 9V, 10V, 11V, 12V; Wrestling 9R, 10R, 11V, 12V; Prom Comm. 11; Boys' State 11; Jr. Rotarian 12; Sr. Commencement Comm. 12; "Hello Dolly;" Voted: Most likely to be President.

LONG STAN — Track 11V.

MARTIN KELLY SUSAN — FFA 9; Girls' Pep 12; NHS 11, 12S-T; Spanish 9, 10, 11, 12VP; Theta 12; Jr. Marshall 11; "The King and I," "Hello Dolly;" Voted: Most likely to be successful in Art.

McFATRIDGE ROBERT WAYNE — Boys' Pep 9; D-Men 11, 12; Sci-Math 11, 12; Spanish 9, 10, 11, 12; Baseball 9R, 10R, 11V, 12V; Basketball 9F, 10R, 11V, 12V; Football 9F, 11V, 12V; Boys' State 11; "The King and I," "Hello Dolly."

McGINNIS GARY RICHARD II — French 9.

McGREEVEY TERESA LYNN — AFS 10, 11; Cheerleaders 9, 10, 11, 12; Chorus 10, 11; Class Officer 9P; FCOM 10; Girls' Pep 9, 10, 11, 12; D-Women 12; OEA 12; Spanish 9; Stu. Co. 9R, 10R, 11R, 12R; SSS 11, 12; Tennis 10R; Prom Comm. 11; Delphi Relays Queen's Attendant 9; "The Boyfriend," "The King and I;" Voted: Best Dressed.

McLEMORE GARY MARSHALL — D-Men 11, 12; Chess 9, 10, 11, 12; Hi-Y 10, 11, 12; ORACLE 11, 12; Spanish 11; Stu. Co. 9R, 10Parliamentarian; Baseball 9R, 10R, 12V; Swimming 9R, 10R, 11V, 12V; Tennis 10R, 11V; Voted: Best Dressed.

McTIGUE ERNESTINE — Cheerleaders 10; FHA 9; Girls' Pep 10; SSS 11, 12.

MEARS BEVERLY JANE — FCOM 12; HEY 11, 12VP; SSS 11; Prom Comm. 11; Jr. Marshall 11.

MIKELS GREGORY JOE — Band 11; MRC 11, 12; Pep Band 11; Attended Sunnyside Jr. High School Lafayette, IN 9; Jefferson High School, Lafayette, IN 10; Davenport West High, Davenport, Iowa 11.

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MOORE JERRI LEE — AFS 10, 11; Cheerleaders 9, 10; Chorus 10, 11, 12S; Class Officer 9T; Entertainers 10, 11, 12; FCOM 10; Girls' Pep 9, 10, 11R, 12; D-Women 10, 11, 12; Band 9; Madrigal 12; NHS 11, 12; OEA 12; Sci-Math 11, 12; S.G.E. 12; Spanish 9, 10T; Stu. Co. 10R, 11R, 12T; SSS 10, 11, 12S; Theta 11, 12; Track 9V, 10V, 12V; Volleyball 11R-C; Prom Comm. 11; "The King and I," "Hello Dolly," "The Boyfriend."

MULLIN JAMES ROGER — Entertainers 10; French 9; Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Stage Band 10, 11; Top Twenty 9; Boys' State 12; "The Boyfriend."

MYERS KATHY LYNN — Flag Girls 12; FFA 10; Girls' Pep 9, 10; D-Women 10, 11; Pom Pon 12; Spanish 9; SSS 11; YARC 9, 10, 11; Swimming 10, 11; Prom Comm. 11; Jr. Marshall 11.

NELSON ANNE CAROLYN — AFS 10, 11; Chorus 10, 11, 12; Delphettes 9; Entertainers 10, 11, 12; FCOM 9, 10, 11, 12; Girls' Beautyshop 11, 12; Girls' Pep 9, 10, 11, 12; Madrigal 10, 11, 12; NHS 11, 12; S.G.E. 12; Spanish 10S; Stu. Co. 10R, 12Parliamentarian; SSS 11, 12; Theta 10, 11S, 12; Tennis 10R, 11R; Prom Comm. 11; Delphi Relays Queen's Attendant 10; "Godspell," "Ten Little Indians," "An Evening of One Acts," "The Boyfriend," "See How They Run," "The King and I," "Hello Dolly;" Voted: Most likely to be successful in Music.

NELSON JANET ELAINE — Chorus 10, 11; OEA 11, 12S-T; Spanish 9; SSS 10, 11, 12S; Prom Comm. 11.

NICHOLS JEFFERY DAVID — Boys' Pep 9, 10, 11, 12; D-Men 11, 12; CAM 11VP, 12P; Chess 9, 10, 11; Wrestling 9R, 10R, 11R, 12V; Football 9R, 10R, 11V, 12V.

NIPPLE TROY V — FFA 9, 10; Baseball 9R; Wrestling 9R; Intrumural 9, 10, 11, 12; Football 9F.

OLIPHANT MARTIN BERNICE — CAM 10, 11; FFA 9, 10.

OLIVER ROBIN WADE — CAM 11, 12; Tennis 10R, 11R; Wrestling 9R, 11R, 12R; Football 9F.

PATTY LISA JOANNE — AFS 10, 11; FFA 9; FHA 9; OEA 10, 11; YARC 9; Jr. Marshall 11.

PEARSON TRACY SUE — Girls' Pep 9; Prom Comm. 11.

PENN MARY YVONNE — AFS 11; Chorus 9; Flag Girls 11; FCOM 11, 12; Girls' Pep 9, 10, 11, 12; OEA 12; Pom Pon 11; Spanish 9; Stu. Co. 11R, 12R; SSS 10, 11, 12; Theta 12; Tennis 10R, 11R; Wrestling 11M; Prom

Comm. 11; Jr. Marshall 11; Homecoming Queen's Attendant 10; "Hello Dolly;" Voted: Most Destructive.

PENN TINA LOUISE — AFS 10; Delphettes 9; Girls' Pep 9, 12; OEA 10, 11, 12; ORACLE 11, 12; Spanish 9, 10; SSS 10, 11, 12VP; Prom Comm. 11; Jr. Marshall 11; Girls' State Alt. 11; Sr. Commencement Comm. 12.

PENNYCUFF SUSAN HALL — FHA 9; Girls' Pep 9, 10; Volleyball 10R.

PETER SUE ELLEN — Girls' Pep 10; HEY 11; YARC 9.

PETRY CHARLES MATTHEW — Boys' Pep 9, 10, 11, 12; D-Men 11, 12; Chess 9, 10, 11, 12VP; Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Hi-Y 9; Pep Band 9, 10; Sci-Math 9, 10, 11, 12; Spanish 9, 10, 11, 12T; Baseball 11V, 12V; Swimming 10R, 12V; Basketball 9F, 11R; Track 9F; Football 9F, 10R, 12V; Jr. Rotarian 12; "Hello Dolly."

PFISTER KATHY LYNN — FFA 10; Girls' Pep 11; Jr. Marshall 11.

POPEJOY GAIL ELAINE

RAGAN SHARON BERNIECE — Girls' Pep 10; YARC 10.

RATCLIFF TIM LEE — Chess 12; Spanish 9, 10, 12; Jr. Rotarian 12.

RENEAU KATHY JANE — Spanish 11; YARC 9.

REPLOGLE RODGER WAYNE — D-Men 11, 12; Class Officer 9S, 12VP; German 9, 10, 11, 12; Hi-Y 11, 12S; NHS 11, 12; Stu. Co. 12; Baseball 9R, 10R, 11V, 12V; Basketball 9F, 10R, 11V, 12V; Football 9R, 10R, 11V, 12V; Jr. Rotarian 12; Delphi Girls' Relays Prince 11.

RIDER JEFFREY CLAYTON — Boys' Pep 9; D-Men 12; Chess 10, 11, 12; Chorus 12; Entertainers 12; French 9, 10; FFA 10; Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Hi-Y 11, 12; NHS 11, 12; Pep Band 10, 11, 12; Sci-Math 11, 12; Spanish 12; Stu. Co. 12S; Basketball 9F, 10R; Wrestling 11V, 12V; Football 10R; Boys' State 11; Jr. Rotarian 12; Sr. Commencement Comm. 12; Voted: Most likely to win the Nobel Peace Prize.

RISHEL SHERI LYNN — Delphettes 9; Flag Girls 11; Girls' Pep 9; OEA 10; Pom Pon 11; Spanish 9; Prom Comm. 11; Jr. Marshall 11; Voted: Most likely to have a large family.

ROBINSON WAYNE LEE — FFA 12; Football 9F.

SALES DIANA LOUISE — Flag Girls 11; Girls' Pep 9, 10R, 11, 12; OEA 9R, 10, 11P, 12P; Pom Pon 11; Spanish 9; Stu. Co. 12R; Prom Comm. 11; Jr. Marshall 11; Homecoming Queen 12; Voted: Most likely to be a millionaire.

SAMUELS GREGORY DEE — Chess 10, 11.

SAND TAMMY LYNN — MRC 11; NHS 11, 12; ORACLE 11, 12; Spanish 10; Basketball 10R; Track 11V; Jr. Marshall; Attended: Klondike Jr. High, W. Lafayette, IN 9; Voted: Best Personality.

SANDERSON DEE ANN — AFS 9; Chorus 10, 11, 12; Class Officer 11VP; Delphettes 9; Entertainers 10, 11, 12; German 11S, 12P; Girls' Beautyshop 12; Girls' Pep 12; D-Women 10, 11, 12; Band 9, 10, 11, 12; NHS 11, 12; ORACLE 12; Pep Band 10, 11, 12; S.G.E. 12; Stage Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Theta 10, 11, 12; Tennis 9V, 10V, 11V; Golf 10V, 11V, 12V; Prom Comm. 11; Sr. Commencement Comm. 12; "Godspell," "The Boyfriend," "The King and I," "Hello Dolly;" Voted: Most likely to succeed.

SEELE STEVEN J — Chorus 10, 11; Entertainers 11; Band 9, 10; Pep Band 9, 10, Stage Band 9, 10; Swimming 9R, 10R; 'The Boyfriend."

SELL CHERYL JEAN — AFS 11; Chorus 11, 12P; Entertainers 11, 12; Girls' Beautyshop 11; Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Madrigal 11, 12; NHS 11, 12; Pep Band 10, 11, 12; S.G.E. 12; Spanish 9, 10, 11VP, 12P; Stage Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Theta 11, 12; "An Evening of One Acts," "The Boyfriend," "The King and I," "Hello Dolly."

SELLECK PENNY LEE — Chorus 10, 11, 12; Delphettes 9; French 11, 12; Girls' Pep 9; Band 9, 10, 11; Pep Band 10, 11, 12; S.G.E. 12; Stage Band 11, 12; Sr. Commencement Comm. 12; "The King and I," "Hello Dolly."

SMITH SUSAN MARIE — AFS 11; Chorus 10, 12Pt.S; Delphettes 9; FCOM 9; Girls' Pep 10, 11, 12; OEA 12; Pom Pon 10; S.G.E. 12; Spanish 10, 11, 12; Prom Comm. 11; "Hello Dolly."

SPITZNAGLE JANE DORISE — Class Officer 10T, 12S; FCOM 9, 11; D-Women 9, 10, 11S, 12; NHS 11, 12; Sci-Math 11, 12; Stu. Co. 12; Basketball 9R-C, 10V, 11V, 12V; Track 9V, 10V, 11V, 12V; Volleyball 11V, 12V-C; Jr. Marshall 11; Homecoming Queen's Attendant 11; Prom Princess 11; Sr. Commencement Comm. 12; Voted: Most likely to be successful in Sports.

STARBUCK RONALD GORDON — Boys' Pep 10, 11, 12; D-Men 11, 12; Cheerleaders 11, 12; German 10; Baseball 9R; Track 11V; Intrumural 10, 11, 12; Football 9R, 10R, 11V, 12V; Voted: Most Spirited.

STERRET ED J — French 9, 10.

STRASSER MARTIN WAYNE — Boys' Pep 11, 12; D-Men 9, 10, 11, 12; Chess 10, 11; Class Officer 10S, 11P; FCOM 12P; FFA 10; German 9, 10, 11, 12; Sci-Math 11, 12; Stu. Co. 11, 12P; Baseball 9R, 10R, 11V, 12V; Cross Country 9V, 10V, 11V, 12V-C; Wrestling 9V, 10V, 11V, 12V; Prom Comm. 11.

SULLIVAN KELTIE — Cheerleaders 9, 10, 11, 12; Chorus 10; Delphettes 9; FCOM 12; FFA 12; Girls' Pep 9, 10, 11, 12; D-Women 12; OEA 10, 11, 12; ORACLE 12; SSS 10, 11T, 12T; Tennis 10R, 11V, 12V; Prom Comm. 11; Jr. Marshall 11; Delphi Relays Queen 11; FFA Sweetheart 12; Voted: Most Spirited.

SULLIVAN MICHELLE DAWN — Chess 9S-T, 10S-T, 11S-T, 12; French 9, 10, 11, 12T; D-Women 11, 12VP; Band 9; NHS 11, 12; Sci-Math 11, 12; Basketball 9R, 10V, 11V, 12M; Tennis 10R; Volleyball 11M, 12M; Jr. Marshall 11; "Godspell," "Hello Dolly."

SUTTON SONNY L — FCA 9, 10; Basketball 9F, 10R; Football 9F, 10R.

SYPHERS DENISE MARIE — OEA 12; Track 12V; Attended: Morton Jr. High, Omaha, Neb. 9; Northwest High, Omaha, Neb. 10; Perry Meridian, Indpls., IN 11.

THOMPSON JOHN ROSS — Boys' Pep 9, 11, 12; D-Men 11, 12; Chess 9, 10, 11, 12; French 9; Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Pep Band 12; Baseball 10R, 11V, 12V; Basketball 9F, 10R; Football 9F, 10R, 11V, 12V; "The King and I," "Hello Dolly."

TRAPP LORI ANN — AFS 10; Chorus 10, 11, 12; Class Officer 11S; Delphettes 9; Entertainers 10, 11, 12; French 9, 10, 11; Girls' Beautyshop 12; Girls' Pep 9, 10, 11, 12; Madrigal 12; NHS 11, 12; S.G.E. 12; SSS 11, 12; Theta 10, 11, 12; Prom Comm. 11; Girls' State 11; Sr. Commencement Comm. 12; "Godspell," "Ten Little Indians," "An Evening of One Acts," "The Boyfriend," "See How They Run," "The King and I," "Hello Dolly."

TUSTIN RUSTY H — Basketball 9F.

VEACH CHARLES HENRY — Boys' Pep 11, 12; D-Men 11, 12; CAM 11, 12SA; Cheerleaders 11, 12; FFA 12SA; Track 11V, 12V; Wrestling 11V, 12V; Attended: Twin Lakes High School, Monticello, IN 9, 10; Voted: Most Destructive.

WALTERS KRIS ANN — FHA 9; YARC 9.

WALTERS PEGGY JO — FFA 10; Girls' Pep 11, 12; D-Women 10, 11, 12T; Basketball 9R, 10V, 11R; Prom Comm. 11; Jr. Marshall 11.

WALTERS RUSSELL LEON — Boys' Pep 9, 10, 11, 12; FFA 10.

WATSON BRADLEY DEAN — Boys' Pep 9, 10, 11, 12; D-Men 11, 12; Cheerleaders 12; Chess 10, 11, 12; Hi-Y 11, 12; NHS 11, 12; Sci-Math 11, 12; Baseball 9R, 10R, 11V, 12V; Basketball 9F, 10R; Wrestling 11V, 12V; Football 9F, 10R, 11V, 12V; Jr. Rotarian 12.

WILLY DENISE ANN — AFS 9; Delphettes 9; Jr. Marshall 11; Homecoming Queen Attendant 9.

WILMOT W EDWARD — Spanish 11; Attended: North White High School, Monon, IN 9, 10.

WILSON MARK ALAN

WILSON RAY GENE — Boys' Barbershop 9, 11; Chorus 9, 10, 11, 12VP; Entertainers 10, 11, 12; Madrigal 10, 11, 12; Theta 10, 11, 12VP; Top Twenty 9; Prom Comm. 11; Sr. Commencement Comm. 12; "Godspell," "The Boyfriend," "The King and I," "Hello Dolly;" Voted: Most likely to be successful in Music.

WINGARD BRIAN EDWARD — Boys' Pep 10, 11, 12; D-Men 11, 12; Sci-Math 12; Spanish 9, 10; Golf 10R, 11V, 12V; Football 9R, 10R, 11V, 12V; Sr. Commencement Comm. 12.

WOLF ARLAN DALE — Boys' Pep 12; FFA 9, 10, 11; Jr. Rotarian 12.

WOOD ANDREW PATRICK — D-Men 11, 12; CAM 12; French 9; FFA 9; Hi-Y 12VP; Baseball 11V, 12V; Track 9F, 10V; Football 9F, 11V, 12V.

YATES TAMIE JO — Delphettes 9; FFA 10; Girls' Pep 9, 10.

YOUNG JERRY DICK — D-Men 10, 11, 12; Chess 9, 10, 11, 12; Baseball 10R, 11V, 12V; Cross Country 11V, 12R; Wrestling 9V, 10V, 11V, 12V; Football 9F, 10R.

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TAKE ME OUT TO THE BALLPARK

Spirit was the key factor of the '78 season. New batmaids, along with many fans, gave confidence to players throughout a grueling series of games. Experience was the success of the team, and all but the three seniors will return for the 1979 season. GMc

1. VARSITY. I.T. Goodwin, J. Thomson, B. McFatridge, A. Wood, D. Dickinson, II. M. McGrew, T. Murray, B. Watson, B. Abbott, J. Young, III. R. Replogle, J. Bowman, D. Driscol, M. Strasser, C. Petry, M. Hoffman, J. Abbott, J. Glass, Coach Lane. 2. Sheer effort and determination is shown by "Rhiney" Hoffman. 3. J.V.I.P. Smith, B. Underhill, M. McLeland, J. Glass, E. Tyler, B. Flora, R. Hawn, R. Bowman. II. S. Hoffman, B. Wallmann, T. Murray, D. Donaldson, M. McGrew, J. Abbott, T. Goodwin, A. Wood, Coach Kassner. 4. A funny thing happened on the way to third base.

CONDITIONED TRACK MEN

Sprints, hurdles, pole vaulting, discus throwing, long jump, 440, etcetera, etcetera, etcetera. Anyone associated with track knows of the endurance and capability it takes to succeed successfully in a track meet. With a double cancellation of the McCutcheon meet, the men moved on to bigger and better things as they opened the season with a tri-meet against Central Catholic and Frontier. Delphi started the season off on the right foot by capturing the meet. TT

1. Varsity Track: I. Chris Johnson, Kevin Cripe, Stan Long, Max Victor, Ed Fleck. II. Joe Leinberger, Chuck Veach, Ron Starbuck, Phill Brown, Brian Burton, Bill Leinberger. III. Pat Peters, Pat George, Doug Collins, Steve Burge, Dean Wood, Mike Lohrman. 2. All Right! I made it! 3. Freshmen Track: I. Rick Roth, Bob Floyd, John Franschina, Ron Stevens, Coach Parker. II. Scott Walters, Troy Garrison, Mark Fultz, Brian Burdine, Mike Wood, Tony Kerker. III. Don McKinely, Scott Jennings, Tom Moore, John Allen, Tim Justice, Mike Ordiaway.

1. Cindy Langston becomes inspired by gazing at the relay trophies. 2. The thrill of victory is displayed by Judy Buttice and Katrina Pearson. 3. I.L. Kremer, K. Sand, D. Maxwell, S. Strasser, B. Shanks, D. Berkshire, J. Brown. II. K. Pearson, L. Jennings, T. Sand, J. Spitznagle, J. Moore, S. Brooks, R. Kennedy, L. Draper, R. Webb, T. Elston, K. Girton. III. Coach Humes, N. Brooks, N. Holloway, S. Griffith, T. Wagner, C. Langston, J. Dittman, R. Franek, J. Buttice, C. Daly, T. Berto, M. Barnard, Coach Nattermann.

GIRLS' TRACK KEEPS ON TRUCKIN'

In spite of rained-out and post-poned meets, the girls' track team did a memorable job this year. Practices were diligently held throughout all kinds of weather. The first meet was held against Lewis Cass on April 10. The girls held out through the rain and defeated the Kings by twenty points.

The three classifications of events were field events (shotput, softball throw, etc.), sprints, and distances. Because of cooperation and participation on the parts of both girls and coaches (Jennifer Humes and Cheryl Nattermann) the team was prepared for a good season. TLS

GOLF SWINGS INTO ACTION

Neither snow nor sleet nor rain nor a basketball regional could stop the boy's golf team this year. Due to the weather and other sports, practice was held inside. Under the guidance of Coach Tony Berto, golfers polished up their swings and hit balls into a net set up behind the bleachers.

Although the team's lack of playing time showed in their scores, they defeated many opponents early in the season. The squad finished 4th in the Hoosier Conference. As the season progressed, more experience gave the Oracles the confidence to capture many meets. RLD

1. Sinking a putt, Richard Denhart gazes anxiously. 2. I. Jeffries, Peterson, Harford. II. Coach Berto, Denhart, Schrader, Sanderson. III. Wingard, Jargstorf, Barnard. 3. David Harford smashes a drive toward the green.

TENNIS SPRINGS INTO SEASON

The 1978 Girls Tennis Team returned in the spring by smashing and volleying their way to victories. Starting the 2nd year for the team, the girls returned without losing any members from the preceding season, also with a year of experience under their belt. Dressed in yellow tennis outfits, the varsity and junior varsity teams consisted of 18 girls under the able direction of Mrs. Caroline Kahler. TP

1. I. Beale, Kempf, D. Sanderson, Sullivan. II. Nelson, Boerger, L. Sanderson, Seese, Penn, Cull. III. Sheehan, J. Abbott, Kelly, Crume, Weddell, Hildebrandt, G. Abbot. 2. Coach Caroline Kahler, 3. Becky Kempf anxiously awaits the serve.

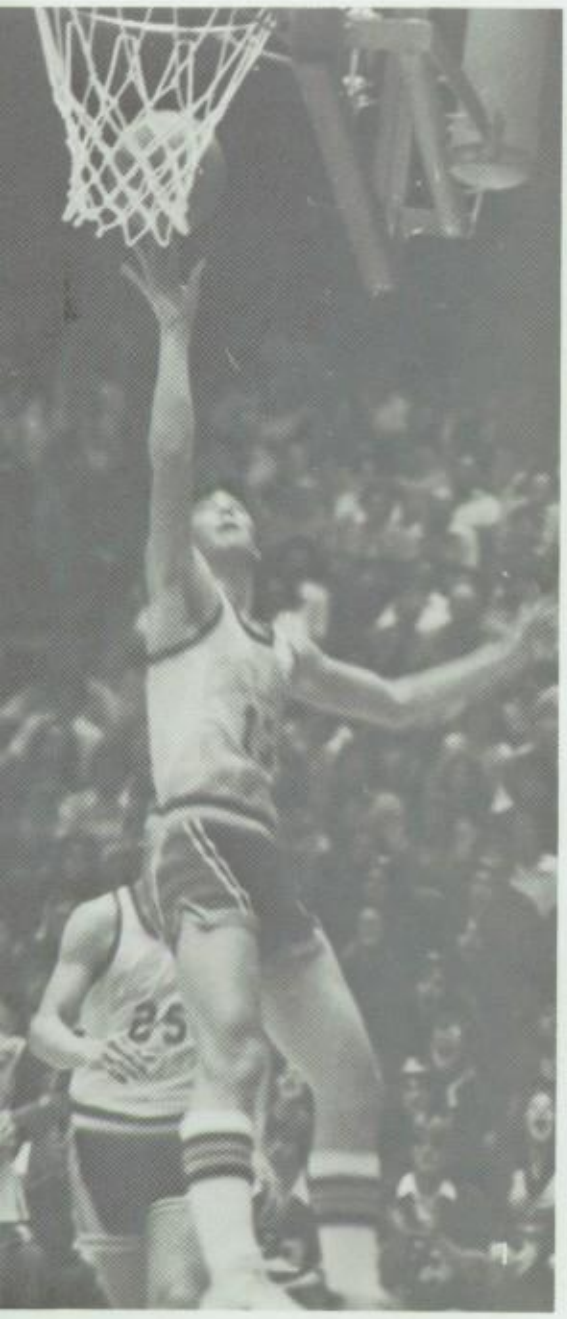
BIG APPLE VISITED

1. Four NYC visitiors brown bag in Central Park. 2. The inner-city art of the subway system is admired by Lori Campbell, JoAnn Campbell, Lori Trapp, and Tom Hinkle. 3. Central Park models: I.J. Moore, M. Mears, L. Kremer, L. Campbell, R. Wilson, C. Sell. II. J. Campbell, A. Nelson, D. Hartigan, R. Hartigan, R. Appleton, T. Hinkle, L. Trapp, D. Sanderson. Not pictured: M. Buck, A. Campbell.

What did you do during spring vacation? Several Theta members and chaperones took a seven day jaunt up to New York City where they visited such renowned structures as the Metropolitan Art Museum, Statue of Liberty, and the World Trade Center. At night, the travelers were entertained by the casts of A CHORUS LINE, DRACULA, THE KING AND I, and THE WIZ. In between all of this, part of the group found time to attend a performance at Radio City Music Hall and The Metropolitan Opera.

Most of the group had their first taste of a plane, subway and taxi ride and everyone enjoyed the initial encounter with Wokcooking at Benehana's. A trip to Central Park, Wall Street, and St. Patrick's Cathedral rounded out the week-long trip which will not be soon forgotten by any of the travelers. CsC

TEAMS ADD HISTORY TO DCHS



Never before in the history of Delphi Community High School have the men's varsity football and basketball teams conquered twp prestigious events as the football district AA and Lafayette basketball sectionals.

During autumn the Oracle gridmen moved through the season with a no-loss record. Their season began with many victorious performances. The sectional victory was accomplished against Delta when the Oracle machine slaughtered the Eagles 35-0.

Their outstanding season ended in the last 15 seconds of the semi-state playoffs, when the 1977 class AA state champions Plymouth, defeated Delphi with a score of 21-20.

Along with the snow and wind, the winter of 78 brought a whirl of perfromances on hardwood. The netters began the season with three consecutive victories.

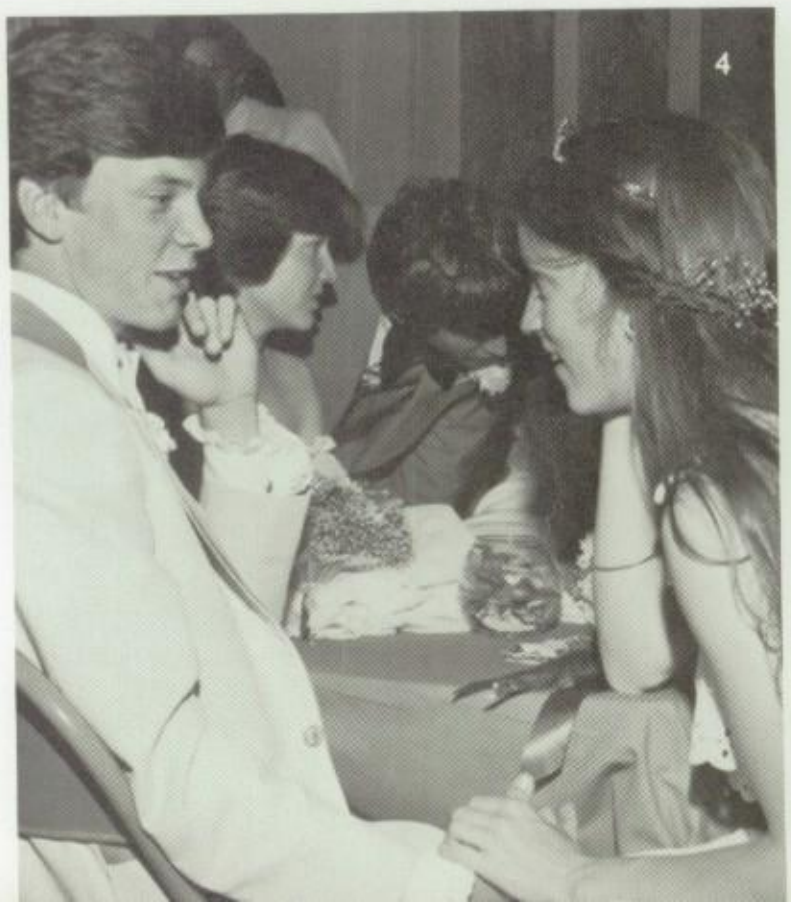
In the first game of the Lafayette sectional, the Oracles pushed past the Central Catholic Knights. The twelve man squad turned the Bronchos into glue as they shot past Lafayette Jefferson with a score of 65-58. During the third night of sectional play, Delph defeated West Lafayette to take their first Lafayette sectional basketball tourney.

In Regional action the Oracles and Benton Central played man-on-man offense and defense as they presented spectators with a challenging game.

During both football and basketball, Delphi lost by a heart-breaking 1 point during the final seconds of the Semi-State playoffs and the Regional. The teams added more history to DCHS. CD

1. Agile fingers and strong legs assist Don Dickinson in scoring against B.C. 2. Halfback Scott Barnard (no. 16) attempts to ease the pigskin through raging Plymouth players. 3. Expressions of disgust appear on the faces of the crowd as the B.C. netters score the winning point of the game.

1. Bernie Wallmann and Max Victor set up the refreshment table. 2. Several onlookers watch the dancing from the balcony. 3. "Come on and dance with me." 4. Jane Spitznagle and her date "communicate" during an interval in the music. 5. Queen Linda Mays and King Skip Dale. 6. Princess Jane Spitznagle and Prince Mark Hoffman.



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A SPECIAL NIGHT — A SPECIAL PERSON

After waiting days to work up the courage to ask that special person to the prom, the right moment arrived. The answer was, "YES!" Then came days of preparation with May 13th finally arriving.

The courthouse clock struck the ninth and final chime as one entered the building. The band, "Heritage," began to play and couples drifted onto the dance floor until every inch of space was taken.

For everyone who attended it was a memorable evening. For King Skip Dale, Queen Linda Mays, Princess Jane Spitznagle, and Prince Mark Hoffman, the prom held even more special memories.

Midnight came fast and as one left the courthouse, a quick glance at the feet met with a sigh of relief that slippers had not changed to tennis shoes and that the car was not a pumpkin.

"Stairway To Heaven" - Prom of 1978. LKJ

DCHS PRODUCES 143

In 1966 pale-faced wide-eyed children boarded yellow school buses and began their long and rocky journey through education. Twelve years later, on May 21, 1978, those students who travelled by bus to Hillcrest, New Hope, Pittsburg, Saint Joseph's, Camden, and other elementary schools, all filed into the DCHS gymnasium to fulfill their long sought goal.

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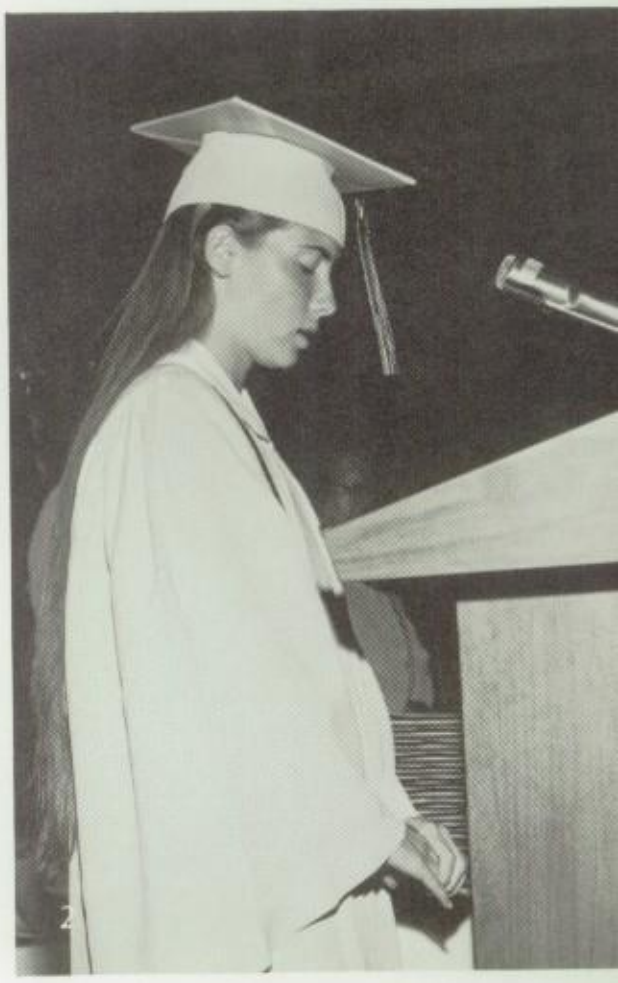
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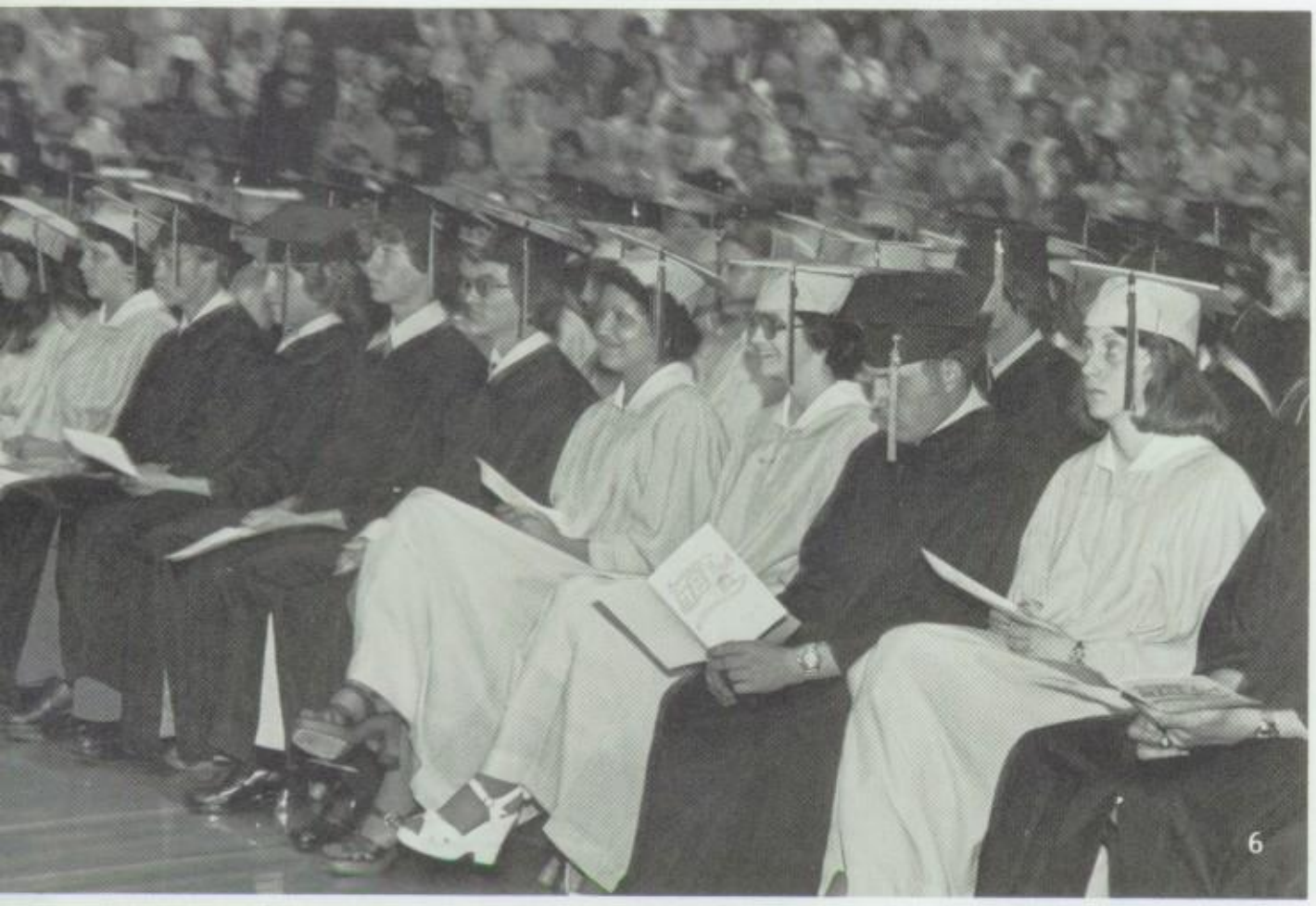
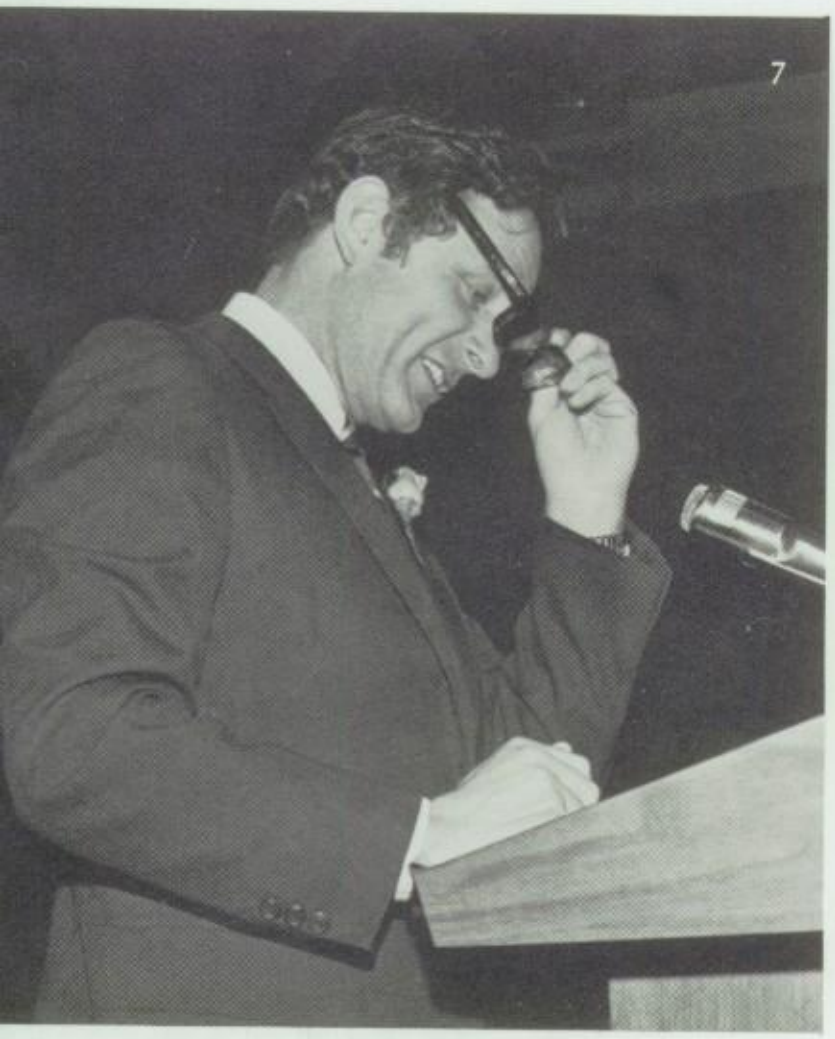
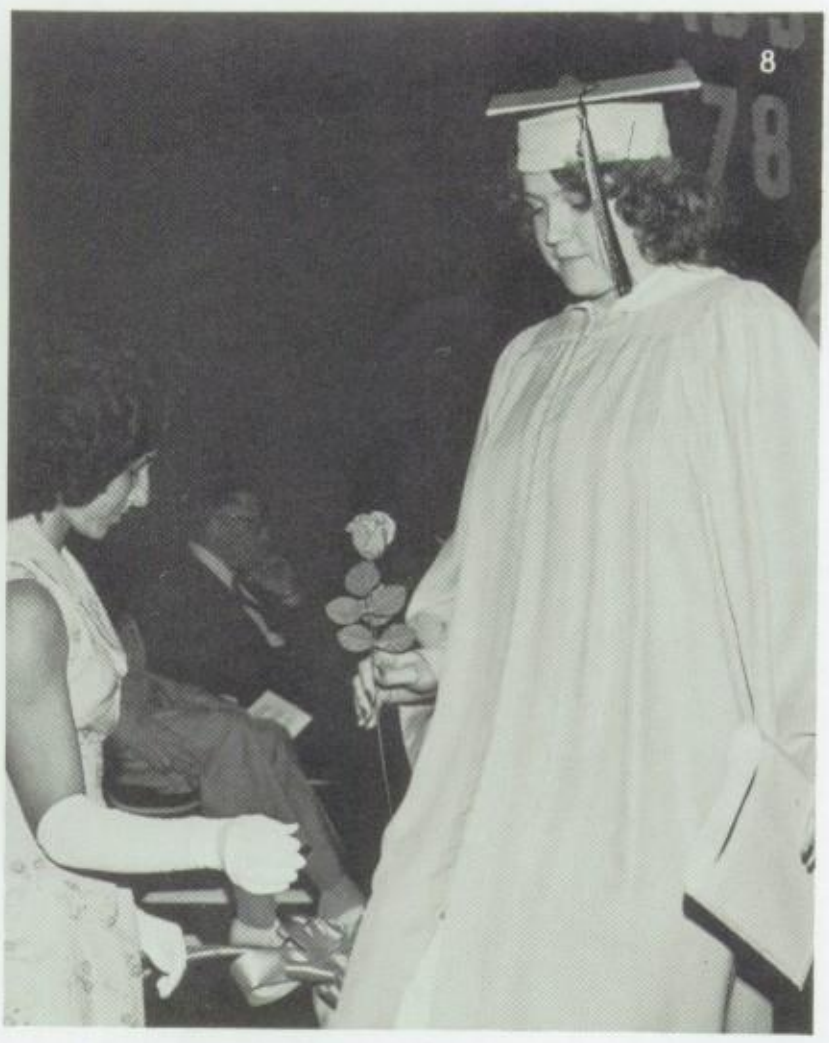


Among the crowd of graduates there were mixtures of solemn and relieved faces. Tears slid down cheeks and loud exclamations were exchanged as the tassels were turned. As the gold and black robed graduates exited down the aisle, the year Nineteen hundred and seventy-eight was finally comprehended. CD





1. A sense of accomplishment is felt by Skip Dale. 2. Valedictorian Ramona Seese delivers the invocation. 3. Kim Berto receives her diploma from School Board President Wm. Stauffer. 4. Seniors nervously await the ceremony. 5. Classmates pose for one last picture. 6. The class of '78. 7. Commencement speaker Senator Birch Bayh. 8. Graduate Donna Bradford receives her diploma for posterity and a rose for luck.

HONOR STUDENTS UPHOLD STANDARDS

On May second, a convocation was held that named 28 new honor students of DCHS. The meeting was the National Honor Society induction. While the assembly lasted only an hour, preparations for that day were going on weeks before. Questionnaires were sent to all prospective candidates for NHS membership. The eleven department heads then analyzed the completed forms and selected the aforementioned twenty-eight to be the 1978 inductees. They were chosen because they used the principles of scholorship, leadership, character, service, and citizenship.

The annual induction was by far the most important event for the club, but it wasn't the only thing they did. Members sold candy bars last fall to supplement their income and Advisor Abe Alvarez and NHS actives continued to uphold the standards of all DCHS students. CsC

1. Honor Society members J. Moore, A. Nelson, and M. Sullivan enjoy the post-induction banquet. 2. New members: I. T. Brown, N. Beale, K. Hathaway, L. Trapp, R. Replogle, B. Watson, A. Nelson. II. S. Johns, P. Brown, T. Sand, M. Sullivan, C. Sell, B. Abbott, J. Moore, J. Anderson. III. K. Zolper, C. Crume, D. Sanderson, C. Cree, L. Kremer, J. Rider, K. Martin, B. Leinberger. IV. T. Gray, R. Denhart, M. Huff, J. Spitznagle, D. Harshbarger. 3. Senior members: I. J. Bowman, K. Petry, R. Seese, D. Stewart, Advisor Abe Alvarez. II. J. Yost, J. Hughes, G. Young, K. Jenkins, P. Peters, M. Lohrman. III. R. Larimore, R. Munson, J. Leinberger, P. Kendall, D. Maxwell, C. Herron, A. Hawn. IV. D. Scott, J. Minnicus, P. George, R. Appleton, D. Dickinson, S. Barnard, M. Weddell, P. Sheehan, L. Mays.

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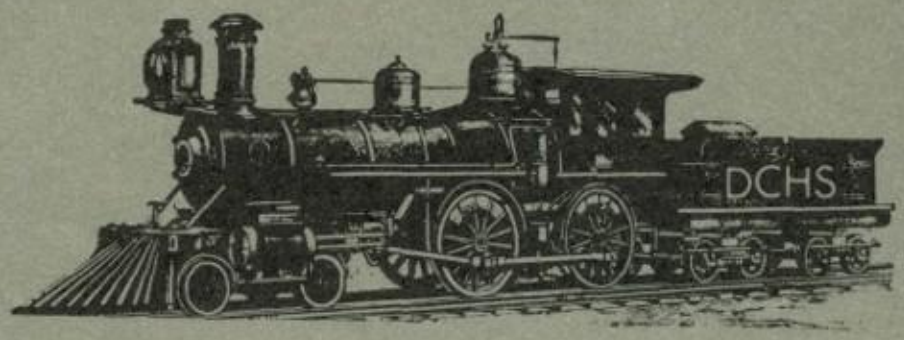
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